

## NEWS

### Firefighters douse wildfire

Mother Nature and quick action by Grayling Fire Department firefighters prevented the spread of a wildfire started by fallen power lines last week.

The Grayling Fire Department was dispatched to a wildfire that occurred in an area near southbound I-75 just south of Grayling at 7:15 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 9.

The fire started when an oak tree fell on three power lines, located along the snowmobile trail that connects with Charlie's Country Corner. One of the power lines hit the ground, igniting dried grass and leaves, said Russell H. Strohpaul Jr., fire chief for the Grayling Fire Department.

The fire burned just over a half of an acre, Strohpaul said. **Page 14A**

## SPORTS

### Vikings qualify for state finals for third consecutive year



Grayling High School's varsity girls golf squad won the Region 16-4 tournament on Thursday at Farwell's Eagle Glen Golf Course, earning a state finals berth for the third consecutive season.

The top three teams from regionals advance to the state finals. Grayling took first place on Thursday with a score of 405, edging second place Glen Lake by two strokes. Farwell finished third at 412.

Individual scores for Grayling included: Whitney Schans, 93; Logan Miller, 100; Angie Rouston, 105; Natalie Woodley, 107; Elle Smith, 127. **Page 1B**

### Grayling wins 3-0 in varsity volleyball series at Kalkaska



The GHS varsity volleyball squad defeated the Kalkaska Blazers 3-0 in a league series played at Kalkaska on Tuesday night.

The Vikings won game one of the series 25-14. Grayling led 11-4 early. The Vikings led by as many as 14, 21-7, late in the game before ultimately winning by 11. **Page 2B**

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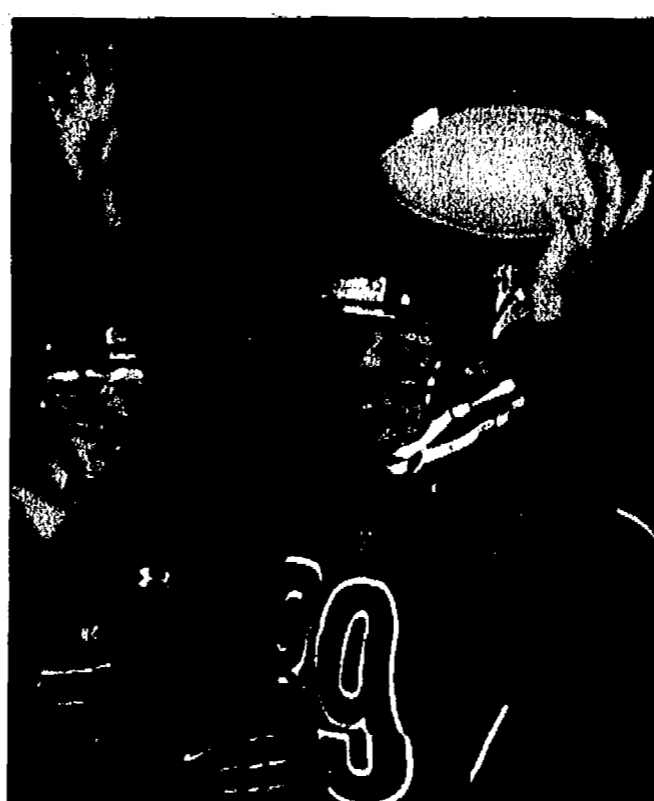


The Grayling Vikings defeated the East Jordan Red Devils 63-29 on Friday night during Grayling High School's varsity football homecoming game, improving the team's overall record to 8-0. During halftime of the contest, the school announced its homecoming king and queen for 2012: Jacob Robbins and Sarah Goodyear.

## VIKINGS WIN HOMECOMING GAME 63-29, MOVE TO 8-0



Left, Cierra Prosser, an 11th grader at GHS, holds the Spirit Cup following the announcement that the junior class had won the trophy this year. Right, Ki-Wan Kim celebrates after catching a 10-yard touchdown pass during the fourth quarter of Friday's game vs. East Jordan. For more on the contest, see Page 1B.



## Woman charged for embezzling from Little League, spirit clubs

by Dan Sanderson  
Staff Writer

A 57-year-old Grayling woman was arrested last week for allegedly embezzling money meant to introduce youth to the sport of baseball and softball and to feed student athletes.

Crawford County Sheriff Kirk A. Wakefield said Sandy Enos was arrested on Tuesday, Oct. 9 for seven felony charges and two misdemeanor charges.

The charges stem from a several-month long investigation in which the victims were the Grayling Little League and the Grayling High School.

A records investigation began with the financial accounts for the Grayling Little League, which Enos had served as treasurer, and led to other accounts that she was involved with at the Grayling High School. The total estimated amount embezzled is \$22,000, Wakefield said. Det. Sgt. John MacDonald from the Crawford County Sheriff's Office handled the investigation.

Currently, Enos is facing six embezzlement charges and three counts of forgery.

Scott Gabriel, president of the Grayling Little League Board of Directors, said he questioned finances after his first meeting with the organization last December. The Little League only had \$400 in its bank account, which came from a bowling fundraiser.

"It's just didn't make any sense to me," Gabriel said.

Little League gamers funds from registration fees from players, the sponsorship of teams and sponsors that place signs around the baseball and softball fields.

Gabriel said he was further puzzled when businesses inquired why they were not getting paid for concession supplies and services and materials to maintain the ball fields.

"I just thought it was weird when I'd go around asking for sponsorships and business owners would say I don't know if I want to give you anything because you can't pay for what you were buying from us," Gabriel said.

Gabriel discovered discrepancies in finances by comparing bank records, the treasurer's reports Enos submitted and the official meeting minutes from the Grayling Little League Board of Directors.

"She was taking the money and doing whatever she did with it for herself," Gabriel said.

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## AUTHOR VISITS SCHOOL STUDENTS

Christopher Wright, also known as Johnathan Rand, visited the Grayling Elementary School on Oct. 8.

Rand is the author of the Michigan Chillers and American Chillers series and also the Freddie Fernortner Fearless First Grader books.

Rand captured the attention of 474 students during his two 60-minute sessions. He expressed to students that reading "opens the door to places you can go."

A total of 240 books were purchased by students and staff and signed by Rand.

Rand is a 1982 graduate of Grayling High School and his father, Ken Wright, continues to reside in Grayling.

Proceeds earned from the Grayling Elementary School's yearly book fairs allowed Rand's visit to take place.



Above, Johnathan Rand, explains to students how to make a spooky sound by wiggling your fingers and thumbs, raising your eyebrows and focusing your eyes.

Photo courtesy of Cheryl Minkin

## Elmwood Cemetery Fall Cleanup Announcement

Fall is in the air and the snow will soon be on the way. That means it's getting closer to fall cleanup time. We are asking all residents to please make an effort to remove all summer adornments from the grave sites to allow for fall cleanup to begin. We will not begin cleanup prior to Oct. 22, 2012. This should be adequate time to allow for the removal of all personal property from the cemetery. This does not include heavy metal hanging baskets, heavy wooden signs or similar items. Please remember our leaf blowers and mowers have a tendency to blow items left on the grave site. We will not guarantee any items left on the grave sites will not be disposed of. Residence will be able to place winter adornments starting Nov. 10, 2012. The City would like to thank all residents for their understanding and cooperation during the fall cleanup process. Please contact Zac Weaver, Cemetery Director, with questions or concerns in regards to the fall cleanup activities.

## Upcoming Senior Events & Activities

### Community Harvest Dinner

Thursday, October 18th • 4-6pm

Menu includes: Cornish Hens, Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Corn & Peas Blend, Pineapple Blend Mix & Apple Pie. \$4.75 per person for those under 60. \$2.50 suggested donation for those over 60. Open to the public and no reservations needed.

### Mercy Hospital Grayling Radiology Presents On Breast Cancer Prevention

Monday, October 22nd • 6pm

Gwen Summers, RT will be presenting on this topic. She will discuss lifestyle changes that may reduce your risk of developing breast cancer. The presentation is FREE and open to the public.

## Upcoming Classes

### Financial Planning Series For Seniors & Caregivers

Tuesday, October 23rd • 6 pm

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## Group gathers to pray the Rosary



Photo by Dan Sanderson

A group gathered in front of the Crawford County Courthouse on Saturday as part of the 2012 Public Square Rosary Crusade. Above, the group huddled under the entrance to the county building to avoid the rain as they prayed the Rosary.

## Woman charged for embezzling from Little League, spirit clubs

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Gabriel said Enos also wrote checks to herself from Little League funds and also withdrew funds using a debit card.

Although Enos has been involved with Little League for several years, she served as treasurer for the organization since 2009.

"I'm very disappointed in what I discovered," Gabriel said. "It directly impacts the league, the families and our community."

Despite having to get police involved to get to the bottom of the financial matters, Gabriel acknowledged the contributions Enos made.

"She did work hard at what she did and I give her credit for that," he said. "She was good at getting us sponsors, working at functions, but taking money from us was totally wrong and that's what I told her. If she needed help, she should have sought help, she shouldn't have stolen from us."

The embezzled funds have resulted in equipment

not being purchased for Little League and not sending the teams to tournaments.

"We had an all-star team tournament and we had to put them in hand-me-down uniforms because we didn't have the money to buy new ones," Gabriel said. "It just killed me to put the kids in that."

Gabriel said Jack Millikin, Inc. donated materials to help maintain the ball fields for the last season and Fick and Son's, Inc. donated paint to spruce up facilities.

"I really feel we have come a long way with everything that's been going on," Gabriel said. "I don't know how much more we can accomplish this year because it's been an uphill battle."

Gabriel also acknowledged Julie Ginther, the daughter of Jim McClain, who died on Feb. 6, 2012, one of the founders of the Grayling Little League. Memorial contributions in McClain's honor were donated to the Grayling Little League. The funds were used to buy a new pitching machine to help players with batting practice and will also be used to purchase a new popcorn popper at the Grayling Little League's softball field located at the Crawford County Sports Complex.

"Bless her heart," Gabriel said. "She's done a great job raising some money for us."

Although Gabriel fears a negative impact for the Grayling Little League, he said a number of people have stepped up to the plate to serve on the Board of

Directors and businesses have offered to donate services at no cost.

Gabriel said the added help will take the weight off his shoulders so he can continue to meet with coaches, teams and sponsors to move the Grayling Little League forward.

"We do this for the kids and we would like to pass this down and keep the tradition going," he said.

Wakefield called the whole situation sad for the kids.

"This lady has been a steady volunteer, doing this stuff for years," Wakefield said. "It's so disheartening for something like this to happen."

"All of these programs for our youth helps them build character," Wakefield added. "They've gone without stuff that they should have had."

Crawford AuSable School District Superintendent Joe Powers said school officials did a thorough investigation into financial accounts that Enos kept records for the spirit clubs for the boy's basketball and football teams. School officials concluded that there were some "dubious transactions" and asked the sheriff's department to complete a further investigation.

"The spirit clubs are not school accounts and are not controlled by the school whatsoever," Powers said. "However, they do use the Grayling name so we requested the sheriff's department to formally conduct an investigation into these transactions."

Powers said checking accounts for the Grayling

Boy's Basketball Spirit Club and Grayling Viking Football Club are maintained at Citizens Bank in Grayling. The clubs solicit donations to ensure that student athletes are properly nourished and energized before their games played outside the community.

"Their predominant purpose is to feed the kids at away games," Powers said.

Since the spirit clubs do not have an operating board of directors to handle official business, the school district made the formal complaint to the sheriff's department.

"This is totally, 100-percent parent controlled," Powers said. "Our coaches don't have control over those funds."

Enos allegedly embezzled \$2,400 from the spirit club accounts, but the total amount missing is unknown.

"We're not privy to everything that the sheriff's department has," Powers said.

Enos resigned from the Crawford AuSable Board of Education on July 25, citing personal reasons. Enos served on the board about five years.

Powers said the investigation into the charges factored into Enos' decision to resign and not to seek reelection on the Nov. 6, general election ballot.

"Sandy stepped down from the board because she did not want to be distracting for the students or the school," Powers said. "She felt it was in the school's best interest that she excuse herself from the board."

Powers said school leaders are disturbed by the circumstances regarding Enos and the missing funds.

"We're thoroughly disappointed and saddened, because in these situations, our kids are the ones that are hurt," Powers said. "We are all advocates for our students and we all work to better our community and make opportunities available for our youth."

Enos was released from the Crawford County Jail after paying 10 percent on a \$50,200 personal recognizance bond.

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# Grayling graduate works with U.S. Judo Olympian to bring home gold medal

by Dan Sanderson  
Staff Writer

A 2001 Grayling High School graduate worked hand-in-hand with an athlete who brought home the United States' first-ever gold medal in Judo from the London Olympic games.

Dr. Brad Gorski was one of 100 chiropractors that traveled to the Summer Olympic Games in London as part of Maximized Living, the official sports performance team for the USA Judo, wrestling and weightlifting teams.

Kayla Harrison, a native of Middleton, Ohio, won the gold medal for the USA judo women's team, the first time the gold medal has ever been brought back to our nation.

Kodokan Judo comes from a fighting system based in feudal Japan. Founded in 1882 by Dr. Jigoro Kano, Judo is a refinement of the ancient martial art of Jujitsu. Dr. Kano, president of the University of Education, Tokyo, studied these ancient forms and integrated what he considered to be the best of their techniques into what is now the modern sport of Judo.

Judo was introduced into the Olympic Games in 1964 and is practiced by millions of people throughout the world today. People practice Judo to excel in competition, to stay in shape, to develop self-confidence, but most of all, people do Judo just for the fun of it.

Harrison easily handled opponents in the preliminary rounds of the Olympic Judo competition.

In the finals, Harrison faced home crowd favorite Gemma Gibbons of Great Britain. Harrison controlled Gibbons throughout the match.

Harrison won the Judo Junior World Championship in 2008 and the runner-up position in 2009. Before moving on to the London Olympics, she won the World Judo Championship in 2010, the first American to win the title since 1999.

Until 2008, the U.S. had never received a medal for women's Judo. Rhonda Rousey, a former training partner of Harrison's, reached the medal podium by taking home a bronze in Beijing. Rousey is currently the Strikeforce mixed martial arts world champion in the women's 135-lb division.

Gorski provided specific spinal corrections for Harrison to keep her limber and injury free.

Harrison has overcome many obstacles to obtain an elite status in Judo, including abuse at the hands of a former trainer and a knee injury just prior to the London Olympics.

"She's got a pretty powerful story and to see what she has overcome and to be there for her was pretty amazing," Gorski said.

In addition to Harrison's gold medal, the wrestling team won its most gold medals since 1996 with two gold medals in the men's division and one bronze medal in the men's division and one bronze medal in the women's division.

After graduating from Grayling High School in 2001, Gorski went on to complete his undergraduate studies at Grand Valley State University, where he also played baseball. Gorski then went on to study at the Palmer College of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa.

Gorski is the owner and founder of Elite Family Chiropractic, located in West Ashley, S.C.

In addition to maintaining



Photo courtesy of Brad Gorski

Above, Dr. Brad Gorski and his wife, Lauren Harrison, celebrate with Kayla Harrison, a native of Middleton, Ohio, who won the gold medal for the USA Judo women's team, the first time the gold medal has ever been brought back to our nation for Judo.

his practice, Gorski also does a radio show for Maximized Living.

Maximized Living, a Florida-based company, has worked with USA wrestling and Judo since 2009, providing chiropractic care, nutritional advice and mental and physical fitness programs for athletes.

Gorski said it was amazing being there for the

Olympians during their two weeks of competition in London.

"It's not so much working with athletes when they're hurt, but keeping them performing so they're at their best," Gorski said.

Gorski is already committed to going to the next Summer Olympic Games in Rio in 2016.

Gorski solicits donations

to support the Olympic athletes he serves through his radio show.

"It's a way that we can kind of give back to them. Most of them train 24/7 and live on very low budgets," he said. "It's nice to be able to support them, but to also support our country and help them live their dreams."

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# Issues and Opinions



## Almanack

by Richard Milliman

### Local, hometown newspapers will stick around

IN OCTOBER each year, newspapers take the opportunity to talk about themselves during National Newspaper Month.

As someone who has been involved in the newspaper business, or close to it, for almost 70 years now, I feel almost obligated to give my chosen profession a hearty pat on the back and wishes for a long and happy life and many prosperous years.

That's a little tougher to do these days, as newspapers struggle with the tide of challenges demanded by electronic instant messaging and all that implies.

In this strange new world, newspapers are changing, some drastically, some eagerly, others reluctantly.

Obviously newspapers of all size must learn to adapt and how best to take advantage of the miracles of emerging electronic services.

I am frequently asked, mostly by non-newspaper people, whether

newspapers will continue to exist.

My answer is yes. I believe small town, home town newspapers will survive and even prosper.

The commodity at the center of change remains the same: Information.

How does information – that is, news – get into the homes and the minds of the people? The hometown newspaper provides the most reliable and trustworthy delivery system.

Providing information about people, and what is happening that affects people close to home, is the key to the future of local hometown newspapers.

An added advantage of the newspaper is that the reader can cut out stories about people or things that interest them and keep them in scrapbooks. It's tougher to do that with tweets and twitters and Facebook and emails.

Nobody knows when the next miracle in instant communication

will come along. Something new and improved is bound to appear soon.

But here's a vote for newspapers, especially the smaller, hometown newspapers.

Long may they print! Long may they serve their readers! May they live long and prosper!

So take a moment to celebrate National Newspaper Month, and while you're at it, thank your local editor.

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CONGRESS – Public approval of Congressional performance has hovered between 1 and 10 percent for a year or so, according to most polls.

Even so, most Americans will send the same members back to Congress in next month's election.

Most folks seem to have the attitude that Congress may be terrible but my representative is just fine. The same attitude likely will prevail in state legislative votes this year.

That's just one of the wonders of politics.

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PANHANDLING – A federal judge in Grand Rapids has ruled that banning panhandling in public places is unconstitutional.

The ban violates First Amendment protection of free speech, and 14th Amendment equal protection clause, the judge ruled.

Two beggars in Grand Rapids, represented by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU), brought civil suit. One had held up signs seeking work or help, and the other had asked for spare change.

Grand Rapids had enforced the no begging ban 399 times between January 1, 2008 and May 24, 2011. An appeal was being pondered.

On the surface, I'm not quite sure about the free speech angle, nor the equal protection bit also. But the verdict underlines the fact that in this country, everyone has

the same rights.

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LAWSUITS – Speaking of lawsuits, the US Chamber Institute for Legal Reform compiled a list of "most ridiculous lawsuits" of the year. Here are a few:

Kidnapper sues his victims for not helping him evade police.

Woman disagrees with store over 80 cent refund, then sues for \$5 million.

Man illegally brings gun into bar, gets injured in a fight, then sues the bar for not searching him for a weapon.

Obese man sues burger joint over tight squeeze in booths.

Passenger lawsuit claims cruise ship went too fast and swayed side to side.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten, but please double-space or use every other line and limit to 500 words.

Every letter must be signed and an address and telephone number must be included to be considered for publication. Letters will not be published without the

author's name. Telephone numbers are not published.

All letters are subject to editing and will be printed as space allows.

Deadline for submission of letters to the editor is Friday at noon for consideration for publication in the following week's paper.

## AVALANCHE DEADLINES

Community Briefs items submitted to the Crawford County Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon, to appear in that week's issue.

Photographs must be turned in to the office by noon on Friday for consideration in the next issue.

News items and letters should be submitted on 8 1/2 x 11 inch paper, typed, and double-spaced.

Handwritten items must also have ample space between each line; on lined paper use every other

line.

Classified ads by the word must be turned in by Tuesday noon and have to be paid for in advance or they will not be published.

Classified display ads must be turned in by Monday noon.

Full page, half page, or color display ads must be turned in by Thursday at 5 p.m.

The deadline for all display ads smaller than a half page is Friday at 5 p.m.

## Letters to the Editor

### City worker showed concern for customer

To the editor:

The unexpected happened on Oct. 11, 2012. Josh Carlson, a city employee knocked on my door. He was sent by the city to see if I had a leak in my water system that I was not aware of. He was courteous, knowledgeable and informative. He concluded the system was functioning properly and the surge in

the water usage was a result of keeping my grass green during the hot days of summer.

I'm writing this because I want others to know the city does have concern for their customers and provide services we are not always aware of.

Barbara Nelson  
Grayling

## Historically Speaking



I am the grandson of Oscar Peter Schumann, owner and editor of the Avalanche at the time of my birth, October 28, 1943, and his wife Grace. I was looking for my birth announcement and found it in the October 28, 1966 issue under the 23 years ago column. The Schumanns had three daughters, Eleanor, Helen and Mary (my mother). They were life long friends of Ella and Marg Hanson, better known as the Hanson twins. Above left is a picture of Oscar and his wife Grace Schumann. The picture on the right is of two of their daughters – Mary and Eleanor. Other living grandchildren are: James K. Bauer of Saginaw; Carl John Bauer of Nashville, Tenn. (both sons of Mary); Grace Ann Weller of Sunnyvale, Calif. (daughter of Eleanor) and John D. Wilkinson of Gold Beach, Ore. (son of Helen).

I understand that the paper does not have a history of itself or a listing of editors since its inception. Maybe you can use this to start a history of the Crawford County Avalanche.

Regards, Peter Schumann Bauer  
Milford

The opinions expressed in the letters and columns on this page are solely those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the views and opinions of the Crawford County Avalanche.

# Briefs

## Classes and Harvest Dinner to be held

The Commission on Aging (COA) will hold their Harvest Dinner on Oct. 18, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., and is open to public. Cost is \$4.75 for those under age 60 or \$2.50 for those over age 60. On Oct. 22, at 6 p.m., Gwen Summers, RT, from Mercy Hospital will speak on Breast Cancer Prevention. Call the COA at 348-7123 for more information.

## 5K run/walk and 1 mile run to be held

The Grayling Cross Country Team will hold the first Spooky 5K run/walk and 1 mile fun run to be held at 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 20 at the trails at Hanson Hills at sunset. Shortly after entering the woods, participants will encounter ghosts, goblins and zombies as they follow a glow-stick marked trail. Bring a flashlight. Kids can race around the 1 mile course collecting candy as they go. Cost is \$10 per person or \$20 per family. For more information, call Steve Corlew at 348-9266 or visit [www.hansonhills.org](http://www.hansonhills.org).

## Church to host guest speakers

The Burning Bush Tabernacle, will host the Reverend Christopher McKashell and his wife, Victoria from Reverend Rodney Howard Brown's ministry in Tampa, Fla., on Friday, Oct. 19, at 7 p.m., "Soul Winning Teachings" on Saturday, Oct. 20 at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. and on Sunday, Oct. 21, at 11 a.m. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. For more information, call Pastor Patty at 348-6823.

## Wrestling club to host sign-up event

The Grayling Youth Wrestling Club will be holding a "Meet the Coaches" and pre-registration event for all parents and wrestlers on Tuesday, Nov. 6, from 5-7 p.m. at the Grayling Middle School gym's mezzanine. All parents of wrestlers in grades K-8 are encouraged to come and meet the coaches, get questions answered, and pre-register for the 2013 wrestling season.

## Community calendar available online

The Crawford County Avalanche has a community calendar on their new Web site. To view area happenings, or to be considered for publication of your event, go to [crawfordcountyavalanche.com](http://crawfordcountyavalanche.com), click on community and go to the community calendar.

## Senior Citizen News

Join us for a meal either at noon or 5 p.m. weekdays, except Friday, when there is no evening meal. Soup or salad bar served prior to the meal Monday through Thursday.

This week's menu (lunch/dinner) and activities:

Friday, Oct. 19 - Lunch - breaded cod, boiled red skins, broccoli and a banana. No dinner. 12 p.m. Lovells Satellite Meal, 10 a.m. card golf, 1 p.m. Pantry Bingo and Pool- 9 Ball.

Monday, Oct. 22 - Lunch - Polish sausage, sauerkraut, corn and an orange. Dinner - baked chicken, oven roasted potatoes, stewed tomatoes and plums. 10 a.m. quilting, 12:30 p.m. Beginning Clogging, 1 p.m. Bridge, 1:30 Clogging, 2:30 p.m. Bunco, 6 p.m. Gwen Summers, Mercy Hospital Radiology.

Tuesday, Oct. 23 - Lunch - Swedish meatballs, with rice, Brussels sprouts and peaches. Dinner - beef stew, green beans, biscuit and an orange. 9 a.m. COA board meeting, 10 a.m. Bible Study and Zumba Gold,

11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Foot Clinic - appointment required, 1 p.m. Euchre, 1 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. PATH at library, 2 p.m. Karaoke at The Brook, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. blood pressure/sugar checks.

Wednesday, Oct. 24 - Lunch - beef tips and noodles, peas, cauliflower and pears. Birthday Dinner - spaghetti with meat sauce, wax beans, asparagus, breadstick, grapes and cake and ice cream. 10 a.m. line dancing, 1 p.m. pool -Ball in Hand, Wii Bowling and Mahjong, 5 p.m. Gen's Birthday Dinner.

Thursday, Oct. 25 - Lunch - pork riblet sandwich, baked beans, cole slaw, watermelon and pudding whip. Dinner - burrito, lettuce, tomato, fiesta rice, corn and peaches. 10 a.m. crafting and Pokemo, 1 p.m. UNO Attack, UnLucky 7's, 3 p.m. Medicine Shoppe Bingo, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. Photography class.

The Crawford County Commission on Aging's Senior Center is located at 308 Lawndale, behind Burger King in Grayling. Walk-ins are welcome.

## Library News

Families in Frederic are invited to "Friday Movie Night" at the Frederic Community Library on Friday, Oct. 19 at 6 p.m. Walt Disney presents "The Avengers" starring some of your favorite superheroes! Movie rating PG-13. Popcorn, too.

Devereaux Memorial

Library will have a "Family Movie Matinee" on Saturday, Oct. 20 at 1:30 p.m.

Featuring "Madagascar 3: Europe's Most Wanted" an animated film by DreamWorks Studio. Join the circus with the beloved cast through their comedic adventures in Europe. Popcorn, too!

## Raffle Winners

### Grayling Youth Booster Club

The 50/50 raffle winners for Oct. 14 of \$25 each; Larry McNee, John MacLeod, Jeff Scott and Terry Orr.

### Grayling Lions Club

The winner of the Grayling Lions Club Lucky 13 raffle for Oct. 5 was Curly LaMotte. The winner for Oct. 12 was Cindy Hardick.

## Presentation on winter weather will be held

With one of the most active winter weather seasons in the United States, residents of northern Michigan have to be prepared for changeable and sometimes severe winter weather.

Crawford County Emergency Management and staff from the National Weather Service (NWS) Office in Gaylord will be hosting a presentation at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 23 at the Grayling City Hall as part of a winter weather seminar series.

Michigan is one of the few states in the country, which experiences lake effect snow. Lake effect snow occurs when cold air crosses the still relatively warm waters of the Great Lakes. With the lakes unfrozen for much of the winter, the lake effect snow machine creates staggering snowfall totals of more than 15 feet in some locations.

Northern Michigan is a unique and challenging location for winter weather, for both residents and weather forecasters.

If you are interested in learning more about winter weather and snow report-

ing, you are encouraged to attend an upcoming winter talk by the NWS.

These classes are free, open to the public and last approximately 90 minutes. Attendees will also receive a laminated snowfall tips measuring card, as well as winter weather safety information.

In addition, those in attendance will be eligible to put their name in a drawing for an official NWS rain gauge, snow measuring stick and snow measurement board.

Topics that will be covered at this year's workshop include:

- Storm tracks and lake effect snow.
- Extreme winter weather, products and safety
- A look back at the unusually warm summer.
- Developing El Nino - How will this affect winter in northern Michigan?

For more information and details on winter seminar dates and locations, visit the NWS Gaylord website at [www.weather.gov/gaylord](http://www.weather.gov/gaylord) or call the NWS office with any questions at (989) 731-3384.

## Range Firing

Range activities scheduled at Camp Grayling for the period Oct. 25-31 will be as follows:

Small arms ranges, located north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, south of Portage Creek and west of Lake Margrethe, Oct. 25-31.

Range 15, located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Grayling Moorestown Road/Cadillac Road and on the south by Carrier Road, Oct. 27.

The 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), Oct. 25-28 and 30-31.

The 40 Complex, air to ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.), Oct. 25-26 and 29-31.

The 30 Complex, located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612 and west of Bald Hill Truck Trail, Oct. 25-31.

In addition, the following roads will be closed Oct. 25 - Nov. 2: Bucks East-West Truck Trail from Jones Lake Road to Wakeley Bridge Road; Ketchum Truck Trail from Bucks East-West to North Down River Road; Stephen Bridge Road from County Road 612 to North Down River Road; and Wakeley Bridge Road from Country Road 612 to North Down River Road.

Military fixed wing activity utilizing the Grayling Army Airfield will increase.

This firing schedule is subject to change without notice.

Contact the Grayling Department of Natural Resources for the areas closed for hunting within the boundaries of the installation. Grayling

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## America's Choices

When we came to Grayling over 40 years ago, America was at war in Vietnam and religious liberals were marching in the streets, burning their draft cards, and doing everything in their power to stop the war. One of our most controversial newspaper columns back then was "Better Dead Than Red." The pacifists were calling for unilateral nuclear disarmament. Some went so far as to say, "If we just lay down our weapons and love them the war will be over." Had the pacifists been victorious, there would have been no Korean or Vietnam wars, but today we would all be living under global communism. But instead, thank God President Ronald Reagan built up our national defenses, called the Soviet Union an "evil empire" and told them to tear down that wall (iron curtain). The result was peace through strength.

Today we face a new enemy, radical Islamic tyranny with plans for global control. Those who always blame America first have been slowly undermining the national unity we shared immediately after 9/11. The same liberation theology crowd, which supported the "poor" communists in the name of Christ, are now wanting to support the "poor" terrorists. They believe our world problems are caused by the economic injustice of free market capitalism. They believe that if we could just form a one-world government and redistribute the wealth of the world equally everybody could live happily in a Marxist utopia. They believe we need a New World religion that unites all the best moral values so we can share a global morality. They believe we need a New World economy that will share materialism equally with all people. They believe we need a new global government that will end national

independence and establish international interdependence. They desire to end racism by blending all people into one global race speaking one common language.

What would such a utopian dream cost us as Americans? We would only have to give up our God, our Savior Jesus Christ, our Bible, our Declaration of Independence, our U.S. Constitution, our liberty and freedom, our God-given material blessings, and our support for Israel. That means giving up everything many of us live for and call dear.

There is one problem, some of us hold these things dear by religious conviction, not political preference. They are more important to us than even life itself. They are not only worth fighting for, they are worth dying for. As Patrick Henry said, "Give me liberty, or give me death!" Or as the apostle Paul said in Phil. 1:21: "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain." Even if a utopia could make us all rich under global tyranny, some of us would still choose a life of rags in freedom rather than riches in slavery.

America is at war with tyranny. We have one virtue to offer our enemies, freedom. The best way to love our enemies is to free them! As Americans we owe those who live under governmental, economic, and religious slavery a chance to choose freedom. "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:32). As Christians we owe every man, woman and child in the world the gospel of Jesus Christ. "If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." (John 8:36). Pastor "B"

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## Obituaries

### Joseph H. Loving

Joseph Hammond Loving, 82, of Grayling, formerly of Grosse Pointe, died peacefully October 10, 2012, at his home in Grayling.

At his request, no service will be held.

Joseph was born January 4, 1930, in Detroit. An accomplished individual, he defined and led his life his way. Mr. Loving served in the United States Navy, during the Korean War as a naval pilot. He worked many years as a Certified Public Accountant, with a successful firm he co-founded in Detroit.

Joseph, an avid outdoorsman, hunted and fished all over the world. He was the President of the Amateur Trapshooting Association eventually moved to Grayling and his beloved AuSable River where he hunted and fished the "ring of the rise" as a young man.

His partner, Carol; daughter, Melissa and sons, Mark and Steven survive him.

Condolences may be sent to 5009 Beaman Valley Road, Grayling, MI 49738.

Those wishing to express sympathies are asked to consider Anglers of the Au Sable, P.O. Box 200 Grayling, MI 49738.

### Brian Dombrowski

Brian Keith Dombrowski, January 1956 - October 2012.

Brian lost a long, hard battle with cancer.

He was born in Detroit and moved to Grayling from Wayne in 2008.

He will be greatly missed by his fiancé, Mary Neal; four children; seven grandchildren; and many Grayling friends.

He loved working on and restoring cars. He had an amazing passion for Mustangs and Thunderbirds.

### In Memory of

My dear sweet Ken, it has been two years now since you were taken from me, and in all that time, some things have not changed and again, nothing is the same. I know God in all his infinite wisdom makes the ultimate decision as to when we are called to his side, but I was so not ready for you to leave me. I know I must find my own way now and am slowly working on that. I miss you and think of you each and every day, in every breath I take, in every waking moment, I love you!

Kathy Riehle

## Galvani, Adler wed



### Grace Galvani and Steven Adler

Grace Mary Galvani and Steven Michael Adler of Prescott, Ariz., were married on September 3, 2012 at Watson Lake, Prescott, Ariz., with Reverend Howard Bowman officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Grace Galvani of Mayer, Ariz. and Walter Galvani of Grayling.

She is a graduate of Grayling High School (97) Kirtland Community College. She is employed as an Office Manager for Svassama Physical Therapy.

The groom is the son of Leo Adler (deceased) and Dorothy Adler of Prescott, Ariz.

He is a graduate of Suffern High School, Ithica College. He is a Radiology Technician at Yavapai Regional Medical Center.

The Maid/Matron of Honor was Rosi Granecki of Prescott, Ariz., and the Best man was Jim Granecki also of Prescott, Ariz.

Their wedding trip was to Gambier, Ohio and Grayling.

They reside in Prescott, Ariz.

## 87th District Court

### Sentencings for September 2012

#### Hon. Monte J. Burmeister

Nicholas Edward Rice, age 26 of St. Helen - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve five days in jail; ordered to pay \$658 in fines or serve 35 days in jail.

Gary Edward Feeney Jr., age 25 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for assault/assault and battery; ordered to serve 30 days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$660 in fines or serve 66 days in jail; placed on probation for 362 days.

Danielle Alana Lane, age 22 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for failure to stop at the scene of a property damage accident; ordered to pay \$935 in fines or serve 90 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Nichole Lyn Mayhew, age 32 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for no valid license in possession; ordered to pay \$570 in fines or serve 30 days in jail.

Joseph Edward Peoples, age 50 of Roscommon - Sentenced on Sept. 11, 2012, for disorderly person/drunken; ordered to pay \$910 in fines or serve 90 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Dakota Lee Jones, age 18 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to pay \$610 in fines or serve 61 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

David Richard Stanaway, age 43 of Lansing - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for impaired driving by controlled substance; ordered to pay \$550 in fines or serve 55 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

Sherry Marle Miller-McClendon, age 44 of Detroit - Sentenced on Sept. 11, 2012, for impeded traffic; ordered to pay \$120 in fines.

Marvin Joseph Switzer,

age 59 of Kalkaska - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for retail fraud third degree; ordered to pay \$870 in fines or serve 77 days in jail; placed on probation for 122 days.

Chad Michael Carpenter, age 37 of Oscoda - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to serve 15 days in jail; ordered to pay \$350 in fines or serve 35 days in jail.

Kyle Lee Vansickle, age 23 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 11, 2012, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$260 in fines or serve 26 days in jail.

Kytan Elizabeth Cottrell, age 25 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 11, 2012, for no valid license in possession; ordered to pay \$220 in fines or serve 22 days in jail.

Martin Dale Lozon, age 46 of Frederic - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to serve 20 days in jail with credit for one day served; ordered to pay \$610 in fines or serve 61 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Christopher Donald Bryans, age 51 of Ecorse - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for open alcohol in motor vehicle and operate while visibly impaired; ordered to serve one day in jail with credit for one day served; ordered to pay \$795 in fines or serve 79 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Hussein Mohamad Nasser, age 52 of Dearborn - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for drove while license not valid/improper license; ordered to pay \$325 in fines or serve 32 days in jail.

Rodny Leslie Smith, age 59 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for motor vehicle unlawful use; ordered to pay \$980 in fines and \$499 restitution or serve 70 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Michael James Schwerdfeger Jr., age 34 of

Uby - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for obstruct trail to prevent public use; ordered to pay \$165 in fines.

William Timothy Perry, age 45 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for stalking; ordered to serve 20 days in jail with credit for 18 days served; ordered to pay \$1,280 in fines or serve 128 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Kevin Gilbert Matlock, age 26 of Roseville - Sentenced on Sept. 4, 2012, for operate while visibly impaired; ordered to pay \$610 in fines or serve 61 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Michael John Buell, age 37 of Allendale - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for no valid license in possession; ordered to pay \$257 in fines or serve 25 days in jail.

James Thomas Armstrong, age 34 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for operate without security; ordered to pay \$447 in fines or serve 44 days in jail.

Dana David Frost, age 49 of Westland - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for license suspended/revoked-allowed another suspended person to operate; ordered to pay \$350 in fines or serve 35 days in jail.

Jeffrey Scott Plummer, age 37 of Columbiaville - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for obstruct trail to prevent public use; ordered to pay \$165 in fines.

Karina Marie Warren, age 35 of Bay City - Sentenced on Sept. 18, 2012, for controlled substance possession of marijuana; ordered to serve two days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$1,260 in fines or serve 126 days in jail; placed on probation for 181 days.

Zackary Arnold Randall, age 19 of Grayling - Sentenced on Sept. 25, 2012, for disorderly/window pepper; ordered to serve 20 days in jail; ordered to pay \$660 in fines or serve 66 days in jail; placed on probation for 365 days.



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# SENIOR HEALTH SECTION

## Living Life To The Fullest In Your Golden Years

### Achieve senior independence with a safer home

(NewsUSA) - Elderly safety is a considerable problem in the U.S. as millions of seniors go to the emergency room each year due to injuries caused by accidents in the home. Falls are a lead-

ing cause of these mishaps. Yet, with proper equipment and knowledge, risk can be cut dramatically.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) says one out of every

three adults over age 65 falls each year. Falls are the most common cause of traumatic brain injuries, and in 2008, almost 20,000 older adults died from fall-related injuries in the U.S.

Houses can be potential battlegrounds for seniors as they navigate rooms, hallways and stairs. Here are some ways you can help ensure a safer home:

- Clear the clutter. This goes for countertops, end tables, hallways and beyond. Clutter of all sizes can make for hazards in such places as the kitchen and bathroom.

- Get frequent visual exams. Poor eyesight is a leading cause of senior falls and can make it hard to navigate homes safely. Check your prescription yearly.

- Equip bathroom with showers/baths designed for older adults. Since 80 per-

cent of senior falls happen in the bathroom, seniors can maintain independence longer with the use of walk-in baths built for elderly adults.

- Participate in moderate exercise. Staying active is one of the best ways to maintain balance, strength and mobility, as long as you don't overdue it. The CDC suggests Tai Chi or relaxed yoga for balance, and weight-bearing exercise is also helpful because it increases bone density for seniors suffering from osteoporosis.

- Install grab bars throughout the home. The most obvious space demanding grab bars is the bathroom, next to showers, baths and toilets, but they're useful in other rooms, too. Grab bars help you climb stairs safely, traverse long hallways or use the kitchen more easily.

### A dip in the pool is a blood pressure and cholesterol lowering bonanza

(NewsUSA) - A refreshing swim can help lower blood pressure and cholesterol. These are vascular health bonuses for people who are at risk for stroke, the leading cause of disability and the fourth leading cause of death in the United States.

In 2010, 137,000 Americans died of stroke, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

"Swimming is a vascular health bonanza," said David H. Stone, MD, and a member of the Society for Vascular Surgery. "Low-impact swimming provides a total cardiovascular workout. Regular exercise strengthens the heart muscle, resulting in less effort and a decrease in blood pressure."

One in every three Americans over 20 years old (74 million Americans) has high blood pressure according to 2010 statistics from the CDC. One in every six American adults has high cholesterol (more than 250 mg/d L). More American women than men have high cholesterol.

To reduce high cholesterol levels, exercise and diet are important factors. The American Council on Exercise suggests that adults burn 2000 calories a week from exercise.

The lack of regular physical activity results in 250,000 deaths annually, according to a 2003 report in the journal Circulation

After 12 to 14 weeks of a three- to five-days-a-week

exercise regimen of 20 to 60 minutes at an intensity of 60 to 90 percent heart rate, bad (LDL) cholesterol can decrease by up to 20 percent. And aerobic exercise can increase good (HDL) cholesterol.

In a 2010 University of Western Australia study, 100 women swimmers, ages 50 to 70, lowered their bad cholesterol and lost more inches in the waist and hips than walkers. Likewise, swimming is easy on the joints and doesn't result in overheating.

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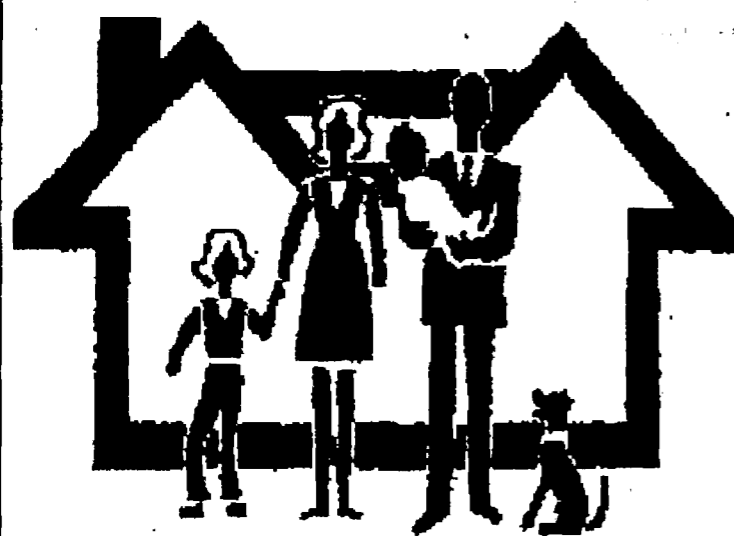
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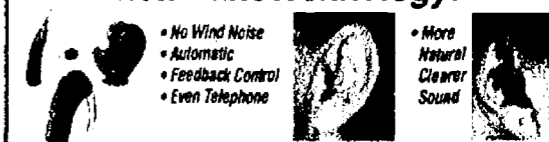
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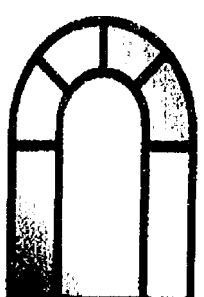
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## Living Life To The Fullest In Your Golden Years

**How to prevent PAD from sneaking up on you**

(NewsUSA) - Peripheral artery disease (PAD) is an underhanded disease with a real knack for stealth.

"PAD can be very tricky. If patients experience symptoms at all, they frequently mistake them for something else. Scarily enough, even healthcare professionals sometimes have trouble diagnosing PAD," says Dr. Emile Mohler, director of vascular medicine for University of Pennsylvania Health System, and spokesperson for the Vascular Disease Foundation. (VDF).

VDF has taken on the heavy burden of educating the public about largely unknown vascular conditions, such as PAD. The lack of general awareness only adds to the mystery of the oft symptom-free disease.

As the arteries in the lower limbs narrow or harden with plaque -- known as atherosclerosis -- there are very few symptoms warning adults that their lower limbs are starved for blood flow.

The most common symptoms of the circulatory problem are cramping, pain or weakness in the legs or hip muscles while walking or exercising. While many attribute the pain to arthritis or old age and ignore it, PAD continues to deprive your legs and feet of oxygen. Now talk about sneaky.

If PAD goes undiagnosed, skin ulcers and gangrene can form that may require amputation. Furthermore, people with PAD have four to five times more risk of heart attack and stroke.

But, the news about PAD isn't all bad. If patients take the necessary treatment steps, which are relatively simple, further progression is prevented, and some symptoms are reversed.

First and foremost, doctors usually prescribe a high dose of lifestyle changes focusing on -- you guessed it -- a better diet and more exercise. Physical activity will help increase blood flow like no other remedy, plus it helps lower cholesterol and blood pressure. However, some medications will likely be recommended.

Are you at greater risk of developing PAD? Read on to find out:

\* If you smoke, you have an especially high risk for PAD.

\* If you have diabetes, you have an especially high risk for PAD.

\* If you have high blood pressure or high cholesterol, you are at risk for PAD.



**Prevent PAD by knowing if you're at risk and exercising often.**

\* If you're above the age of 50 and your family has a history of atherosclerosis or coronary artery disease, you're at risk for PAD.

Have more questions? Visit [www.vascular-disease.org](http://www.vascular-disease.org) to find the answers.

**Six questions about long-term care**

(NAPSI)—One of the most common objections to buying long-term care insurance is the notion that you can pay for long-term care services yourself and when those services are needed. According to Mutual of Omaha Vice President Brad Buechler, however, there are many reasons self-funding may not be in your best interests.

Ask yourself these six questions:

1. What about your spouse? Even if you think you have enough money to pay for long-term care, think about what will happen if you need care for several years and the financial impact on your spouse's retirement and future care.

2. Have you considered the tax implications? Most people don't have money set aside specifically for long-term care. That means they may have to liquidate assets. When that happens, capital gains tax, income tax and potential penalties can all take a bite out of the returns those assets were expected to generate.

3. Are you prepared to invade your plan? People with significant assets

generally have a plan for those assets. No one wants to use money that's been set aside for retirement or a child's inheritance to pay for long-term care services. You don't want to have to cash in an asset meant to fund something else.

4. Have you thought about the cost of lost opportunity? Even if you have funds specifically to pay for long-term care services, that money must be invested so there's enough available to pay for care 10, 15 or 20 years down the road. That could require setting aside a

large sum or investing conservatively to ensure money will be available when needed. If you purchase long-term care insurance, you may be able to invest more aggressively and earn higher returns on your retirement nest egg.

5. Can you really save enough? There are a lot of "what ifs" when it comes to investing your own money to pay for long-term care services. What if you don't save enough? What if your assets don't earn enough interest? And the biggest "what if": What if you need long-

term care tomorrow? There's no guarantee anyone will have 10 or 20 years to save.

6. Are you sure you'll get the care you need? Most people who say they'll self-fund are reluctant to use long-term care services because they know the cost is coming out of their own pockets.

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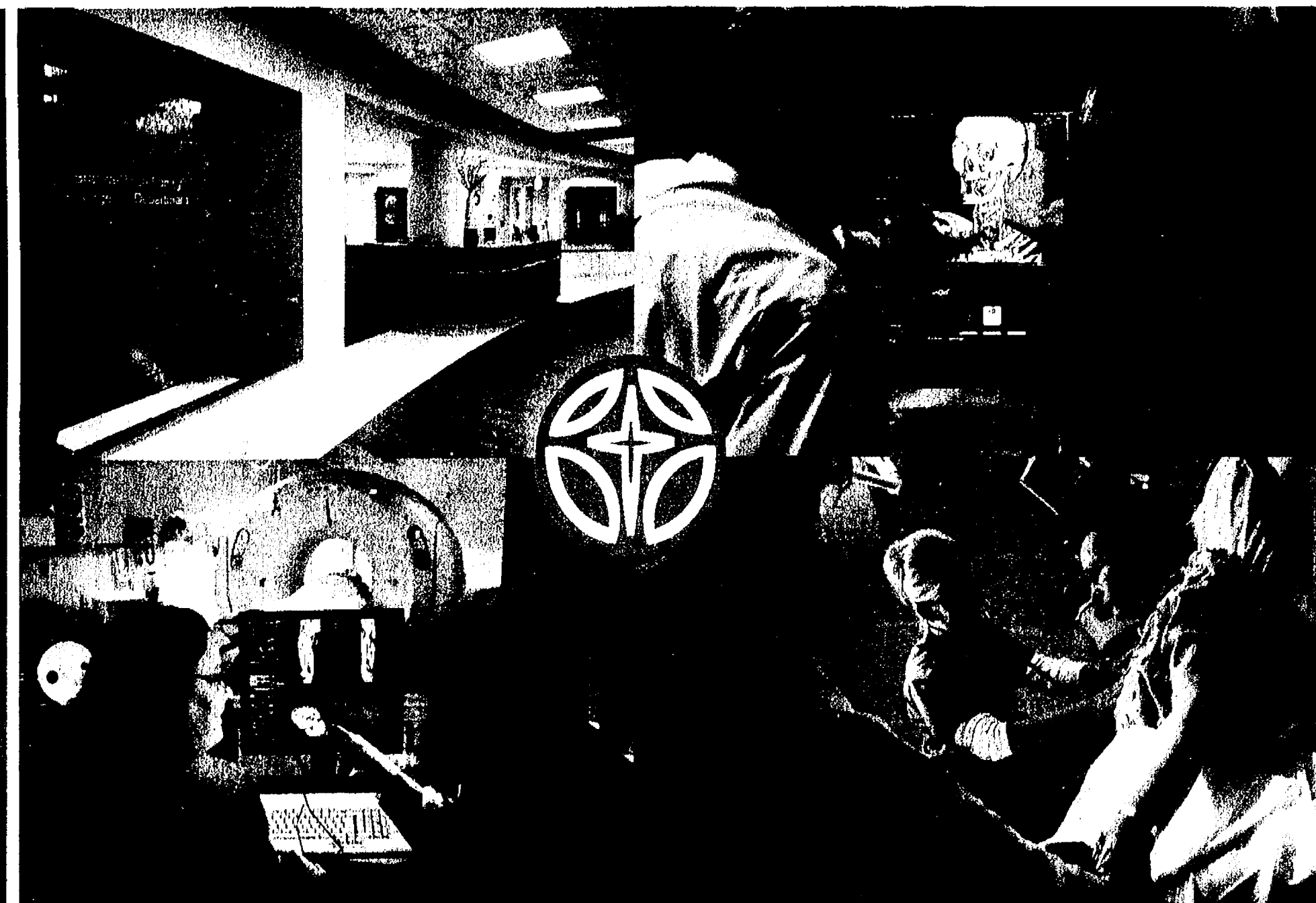
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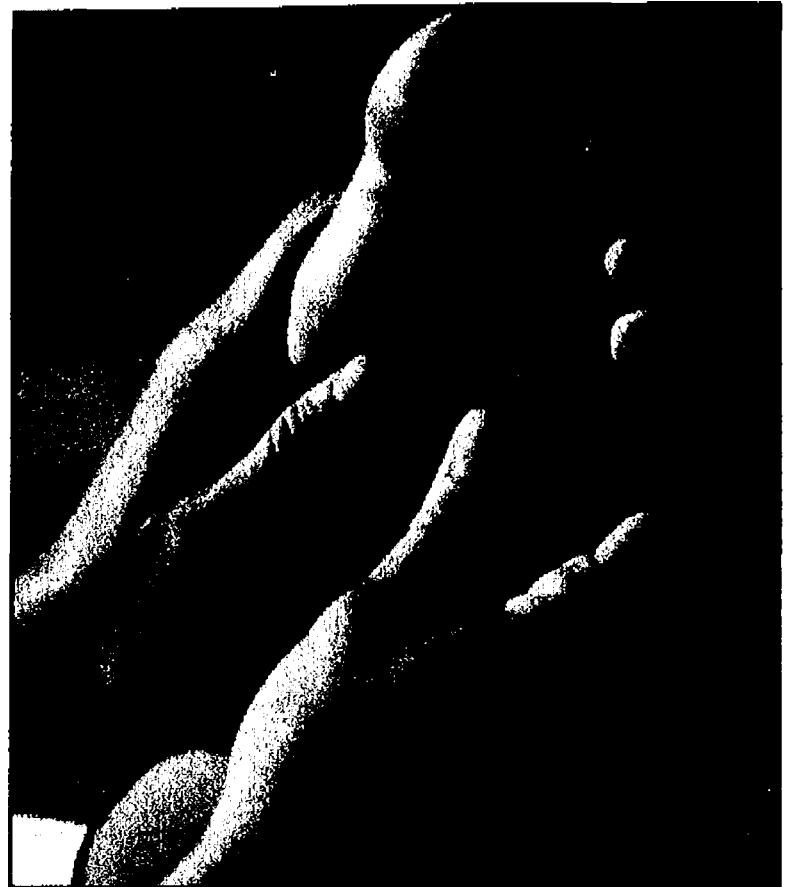
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**Living Life To The Fullest In Your Golden Years**

## Foot care tips for people with diabetes

(NewsUSA) - amputations could have been prevented if the person had taken better care of their feet.  
Complications due to diabetes are the number-one cause of lower-leg amputations and account for nearly 86,000 amputations per year. Doctors estimate almost 50 percent of these

"I can't emphasize enough how important it is for a person with diabetes to pay rigorous attention



**It's important for people with diabetes to be diligent about proper foot care to prevent the grave consequences from sores and infections.**

to their feet. Foot infections are the most common issue for a person with diabetes and are more severe and take longer to heal than in a person without diabetes," says Dr. Alan Farber, a certified doctor of podiatric medicine.

Farber added, "Proper foot care is simple and includes things like using an antifungal daily, not only to heal, but also to prevent fungal infections, and using a moisturizer daily to heal and prevent dry, cracked skin."

Are you being thorough enough in your foot care? Read on to find out:

- Whether indoors on plush rugs or outdoors on white sand, never walk barefoot. Podiatrists recommend wide, closed-toed shoes with socks that fit very well. Shoes should not require "breaking in."

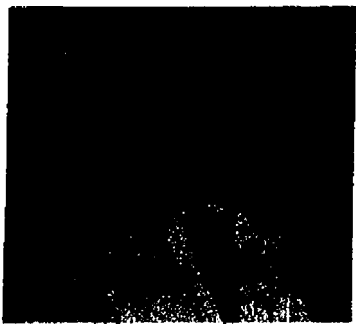
- Clean feet daily with warm water and mild soap, but don't soak them for more than three or four minutes. Skin submerged for too long will become macerated and more vulnerable to bacteria.

- Cracks in dry skin provide ideal openings for bacteria. Look for moisturizing creams containing L-Arginine, like DiabetiDerm Foot Rejuvenating Cream. L-Arginine helps stimulate healthy blood flow to heal dry, cracked skin. This special cream is available only in the diabetic section of your favorite drugstore or superstore.

- Under no circumstances should you shave or attempt to remove calluses or corns. Instead, show them to your podiatrist and ask about specially prescribed shoes. Even before your appointment, buy a cream made especially for people with diabetes that specifies it helps soften calluses, and apply it every day.

- Meticulously inspect feet, toes and toenails for swelling, cuts, blisters, redness, fungal buildup or any type of irritation on a daily basis. If you have thickened toenails, have a podiatrist test for fungus. If fungus is present, an antifungal will likely be recommended. Drugstores or superstores carry DiabetiDerm Antifungal Cream with L-Arginine in the diabetic section. L-Arginine helps stimulate blood flow, which in turn speeds healing.

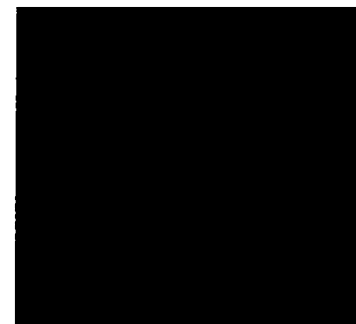
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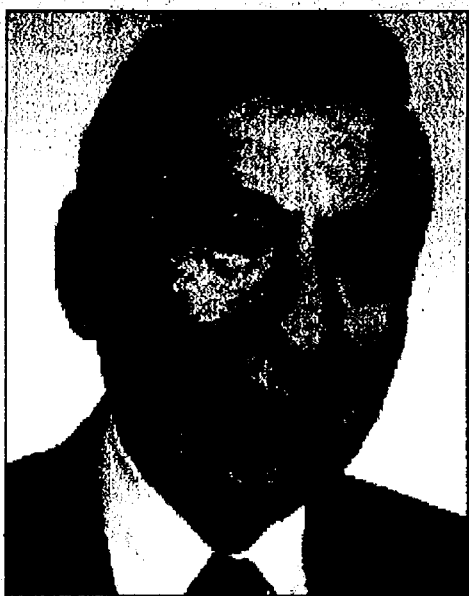
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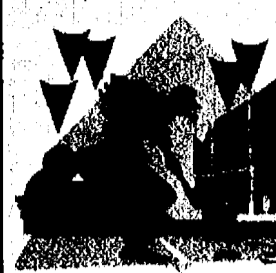
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### Card of Thanks

Thank you for my 90th birthday party. Thanks to all who came and especially to my daughter-in-law, Sylvia, who planned it and did the work. Thanks for my cards, gifts and phone calls as well.

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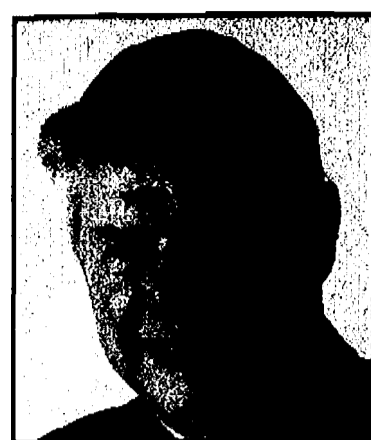
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## Retired Bishop passes away

The Diocese of Gaylord announced that the Most Reverend Patrick R. Cooney, the beloved Bishop Emeritus, died on Monday. Bishop Cooney was 78.

Installed as the Third Bishop of the Diocese of Gaylord on Jan. 28, 1990, Bishop Cooney served until his retirement in 2009, leading the Catholic Church within the northern 21 counties of Michigan's Lower Peninsula for 20 years.

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**Bishop Cooney**

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# Monster trebuchet will debut for public viewing

This weekend will be an exciting time at Wellington Farm, USA near Grayling, when the farm park's new monster trebuchet will throw pumpkins for the first time.

This new siege machine was designed and constructed by Roger Blackford, the maintenance supervisor at the 60-acre living history farm. He was assisted by volunteer Ethan Brand.

The monster trebuchet was actually constructed for last year's Punkin-Chunkin event but, the huge machine broke on its second test fire.

Wellington Farm, USA will open at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20 and the first test fire is scheduled for 10 a.m. If all goes well, the trebuchet will throw pumpkins every hour on the hour throughout the day and again on Sunday, Oct. 21.

Price of admission is \$7.50 for adults and \$5.50 for students and seniors, which is the regular park admission. For those people who want to shoot the trebuchet, ammunition will be available for purchase. All money raised at the trebuchet will go towards the construction of a new museum building and a new store, which will feature Michigan-made arts and crafts work.

In addition to the operation of the monster trebuchet, all of the farm buildings will be open and some in operation. The farm park's shuttle will be transporting visitors around the



Photo courtesy of Wellington Farm, USA

Wellington Farm, USA's new monster trebuchet will go into operation on Saturday, Oct. 20 during the historical farm park's annual Punkin-Chunkin event.

farm and cider and donuts will be available. In addition, the farm has a large quantity of pumpkins and

winter squash available for purchase. Further information can be obtained by calling (989)

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The Grayling Lions Club presented a plaque to acknowledge AuSable Eyecare for 24 years of service helping provide eye examinations, lenses and frames to those in need in the community. Left, Lions Club Treasurer Clairene Jorella, Dr. Bill Dean, Lions Club member Carolyn Rakoczy, Dr. Rob Aubry and Lions Club member Brian Chase are pictured during the presentation.

Photo by Dan Sanderson

## Grayling Lions Club supports several projects

The Grayling Lions Club supports many causes around the country, world and right here in Crawford County.

The local project the Grayling Lions Club is most noted for is providing eyeglasses for those who can't

afford them in the community. The club also assists people who need hearing aids.

AuSable Eyecare has been instrumental in their assistance to the Grayling Lions Club over the years in assuring that those individu-

als who need eyeglasses are provided the form necessary to apply for assistance. Dr. Rob Aubry, Dr. Bill Dean and the staff at AuSable Eyecare also stand ready to do the examinations and provide frames and lenses to people who qualify for the Lions Club's assistance program at substantial savings, which allows for more people to be served.

Locally, the Lions Club supports many projects, including the Crawford County Relay for Life, the Crawford County Community Christian Help Center, the Crawford County Commission on Aging, Kid's Day at the AuSable River Festival, Project Graduation, the Grayling High School's Band Boosters, the Christmas Walk, Boys Scouts and the Crawford County Library System's summer reading program.

The Lions Club recently constructed a gazebo and provided a picnic table and brick walkway in the City of Grayling's Charles E.

Moore Memorial Park on Michigan Avenue.

Each year, the Lions Club awards three scholarships to Grayling High School students to attend college. One of the scholarships is provided by the Grayling Lioness Club, which no longer exists but has left a financial legacy to the Grayling Lions to continue their work. The scholarships are awarded in the memory of Bob Hale and Marie Prause.

The Grayling Lions Club state projects include Leader Dogs for the Blind, the Michigan Eyebank, the Lions Bear Lake Camp near Lapeer and the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation.

The world events the Lions Club has contributed to over the years includes hurricane relief, earthquake relief, tsunami relief and lost less publicized event like river blindness prevention and eyeglass recycling and donation to third-world countries.

## Firefighters douse wildfire

by Dan Sanderson  
Staff Writer

Mother Nature and quick action by Grayling Fire Department firefighters prevented the spread of a wildfire started by fallen power lines last week.

The Grayling Fire Department was dispatched to a wildfire that occurred in an area near southbound I-75 just south of Grayling at 7:15 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 9.

The fire started when an oak tree fell on three power lines, located along the snowmobile trail that connects with Charlie's Country Corner. One of the power lines hit the ground, igniting dried grass and leaves, said Russell H. Strohpaul Jr., fire chief for the Grayling Fire Department.

The fire was reported to

Central Dispatch by a motorist passing by a Crawford County Sheriff's Deputy and a Frederic Fire Department/EMS ambulance returning from transporting a patient, Strohpaul said.

The fire burned just over a half of an acre, Strohpaul said.

The wind was blowing from the west, which pushed the fire toward the firefighters. The firefighters had to extend fire hoses from trucks and tankers parked along the expressway.

"Once we got water on it, it was pretty much a done deal," Strohpaul said.

Firefighters remained on the scene until 10:15 p.m., when crews from Consumers Energy arrived to put the power lines back in place.

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David Somero leads the Vikings onto the field prior to Friday night's homecoming game vs. the East Jordan Red Devils.



Scott Parkinson runs with the ball after catching a pass vs. East Jordan.

# Vikings win homecoming game 63-29, move to 8-0

Grayling to battle unbeaten Boyne City for league title

by Caleb Casey  
Senior Staff Writer

The Grayling Vikings – in their varsity football homecoming game on Friday night – defeated the visiting East Jordan Red Devils 63-29, improving the squad's overall record to 8-0 and setting up a battle of two unbeaten teams for this Friday night's regular season finale.

"This was a total team victory. It was great to see some of the guys who have busted their tails all year long to make this team better get some productive reps," Coach Tim Sanchez said. "Our focus has to quickly shift to Boyne City now, though. Two of our

team's goals are close at reach: undefeated season and league champions. We will have to be at our very best to have a chance against fellow unbeaten Boyne City."

The Vikings will play the Boyne City Ramblers at 7 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 19, at Boyne City. Both teams are 8-0 overall and 5-0 in league play going into the match. Both squads have already qualified for the playoffs. With Kalkaska winning its sixth game last week, the Lake Michigan Conference will have three teams in the playoffs this year.

Back to Friday night's game vs. East Jordan. Grayling scored on its first

## Lake Michigan Conference

Team, League Record, Overall Record	
Boyne City.....	5-0 (8-0)
Grayling.....	5-0 (8-0)
Elk Rapids.....	3-2 (4-4)
Kalkaska.....	3-2 (6-2)
Harbor Springs.....	2-4 (3-5)
Charlevoix.....	0-5 (0-8)
East Jordan.....	0-5 (0-8)

Last week's scores:  
Grayling 63, East Jordan 29  
Boyne City 44, Elk Rapids 20  
Kalkaska 42, Frankfort 20  
Harbor Springs 19, Charlevoix 06

possession of the contest, driving 86 yards on seven plays following a punt by East Jordan. On the first play of the series, quarterback Jake Swander completed a deep pass to Tyler McClanahan for 41 yards. Swander threw to Scott Parkinson for a 10-yard gain. On 2nd and 10, Ty Jensen ran for 14 yards. A

pass from Swander to McClanahan picked up 17 yards. On 1st and goal, Swander tossed a shovel pass to Jensen for a four-yard touchdown. Kevin Harris kicked the extra point and Grayling led 7-0.

East Jordan punted on 4th and 6. Grayling fumbled the ball on the play and the Red Devils recovered it near midfield. East Jordan completed a pass for 10 yards on 4th and 3 to keep the drive alive. On the next play, the Red Devils scored on a 29-yard TD pass. They scored the two-point conversion to lead by one, 8-7, with 2:20 left in the first quarter.

Grayling responded with a 61-yard scoring drive. Jensen rushed for 16 yards on 2nd and 10. Swander threw to Danny Schultz for an eight-yard gain. On 2nd

and 2, the Vikings scored a TD but a penalty nullified the play. On 3rd and 10, Swander threw to Parkinson for 23 yards. On 2nd and 10, Swander completed a 12-yard touchdown pass to Parkinson. Harris kicked the extra point. Grayling led 14-8 with 26 seconds left in the first quarter.

East Jordan returned Grayling's kickoff to the 35-yard line of the Vikings. An open field tackle by Harris on the return probably prevented a touchdown. A sack by Brandon Handrich on 3rd and 2 resulted in a loss of 12 for the Red Devils. East Jordan went for it on 4th and 14 and Harris deflected the pass in the secondary, forcing a turnover on downs.

Grayling took over at its 40-yard line. A screen pass to Scout Tobin gained six.

Jensen rushed for 21 yards on 3rd and 4. Swander threw to Parkinson for 16 yards. On the next play, Swander completed a shovel pass to Jensen, who scored a 17-yard TD on the play. With the extra point kick by Harris, GHS led 21-8.

The Vikings tried an onside kick and Tobin recovered it for Grayling at East Jordan's 43-yard line. On 2nd and 13, Swander completed a pass to McClanahan for 21 yards. Jensen rushed for 11 yards on the next play. On 1st and 10, Swander threw to Parkinson, who caught the ball in the end zone for a 14-yard TD. Grayling led 28-8.

East Jordan punted on 4th and 13. The Vikings drove 58 yards on 10 plays, scoring See **VIKINGS** | Pg. 10B



The Vikings – (L to R) Coach Scott Baker, Elle Smith, Natalie Woodley, Angie Rouston, Whitney Schans, and Logan Miller – celebrate their regional title on Thursday.

## REGIONAL CHAMPIONS

Vikings qualify for state finals for third consecutive year with first place finish in Region 16-4 tournament

Grayling High School's varsity girls golf squad won the Region 16-4 tournament on Thursday at Farwell's Eagle Glen Golf Course, earning a state finals berth for the third consecutive season.

The top three teams from regionals advance to the state finals. Grayling took first place on Thursday with a

score of 405, edging second place Glen Lake by two strokes. Farwell finished third at 412.

"We have played in miserable weather for the past month and today was no different. With temps in the high 40s, winds gusting at 25-30 mph, and rain most of the day, these were not ideal

golf conditions. Although we golfed about 15 strokes higher than we would have liked to as a team, the girls kept fighting for every shot on the course. Their sheer will and determination was the difference maker in how we finished today," Coach Scott Baker said.

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## Grayling wins playoff preview with three 2nd half goals

Soccer team defeats Boyne City 5-2 in season finale

by Caleb Casey  
Senior Staff Writer

At halftime, the score was 2-2. The Grayling Vikings outscored the Boyne City Ramblers 3-0 in the second half to win the game – a varsity boys soccer league contest, the season finale for the Vikings – by a final score of 5-2 on Thursday night. Boyne City hosted the contest.

The match was a preview of a round one District 48-3 playoff game slated for Tuesday, Oct. 16. (Results not available prior to press time.)

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Carson Burmeister throws the ball in for the Vikings at Boyne City.

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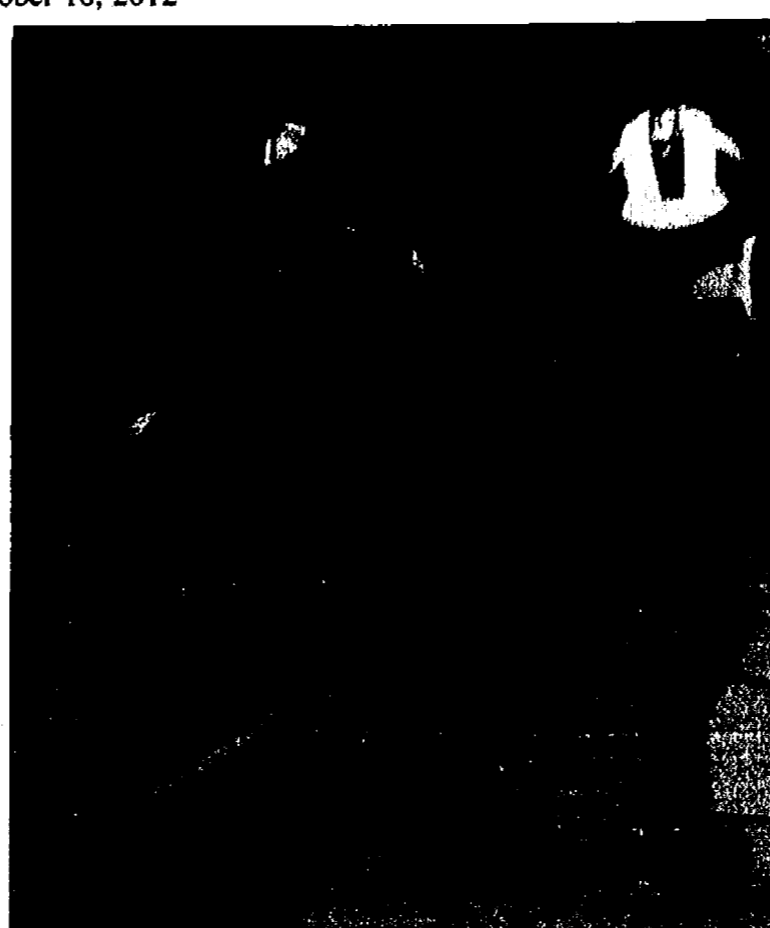
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Peri Scheer, left, fields a Kalkaska serve during last Tuesday's series. Marilyn Jankowski, right, serves the ball for Grayling.



## Grayling wins 3-0 in varsity volleyball series at Kalkaska

Vikings defeat Blazers 25-14, 25-19, 25-19 on Tuesday

by Caleb Casey  
Senior Staff Writer

The GHS varsity volleyball squad defeated the Kalkaska Blazers 3-0 in a league series played at Kalkaska on Tuesday night.

The Vikings won game one of the series 25-14. Grayling led 11-4 early. The Vikings led by as many as 14, 21-7, late in the game before ultimately winning by 11.

In game two, Grayling led

5-0 early. The Vikings extended their advantage to seven, 14-7. It was close late in the game - Kalkaska pulled within two, 20-18 - but the Vikings scored five of the contest's last six points to win by a final score of 25-19.

Grayling led 4-0 to start game three. The Vikings led 14-10. Kalkaska pulled within one, 15-14. From there, the Vikings outscored the Blazers 10-5. Grayling

won the contest by a final score of 25-19.

The Vikings won the best of five series 3-0.

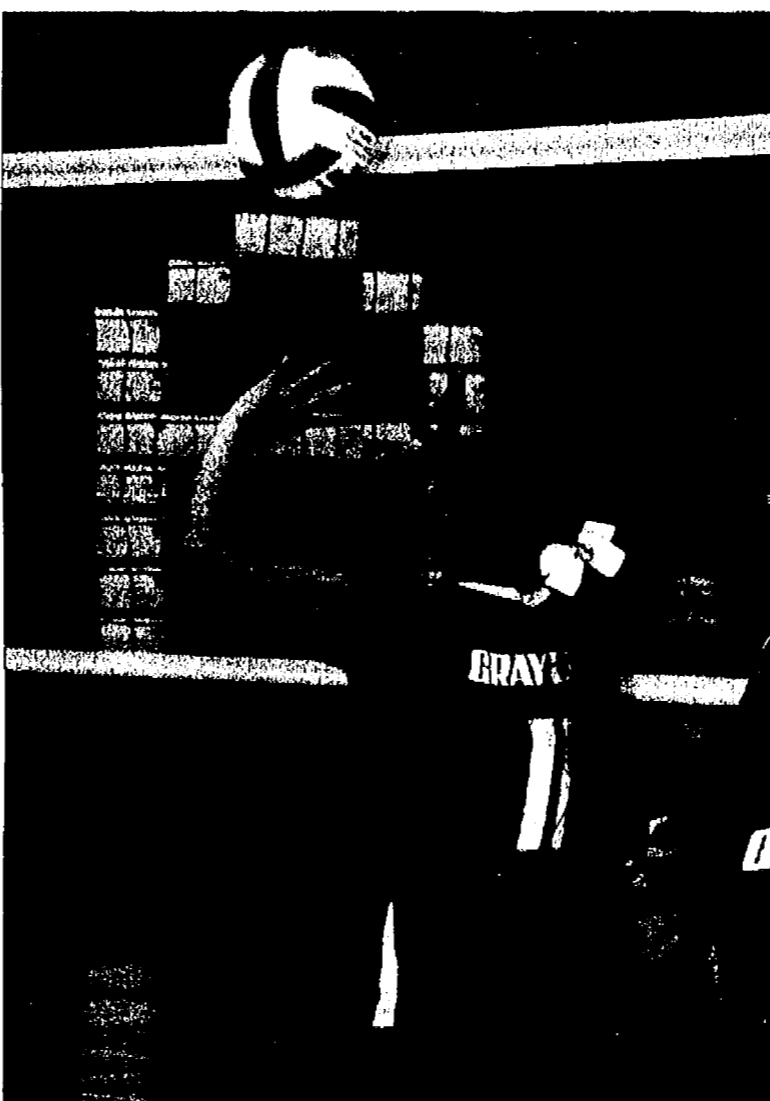
According to the team, Sam Denno had three kills; Marilyn Jankowski and Rachel Money each had two kills; Makayla Cragg had one kill; Courtney Hatfield had three aces and Caitlin Prosser had three aces; Money had two aces and Jankowski had one ace.

"The team did really

well," Coach Lindsay Smith said. "Our serving was over 90 percent, which was our goal for the season."

"Sam Denno has really stepped up her game. Her serving has really come along. Marilyn and Rachel have really started to get a hold of the ball," Coach Smith said.

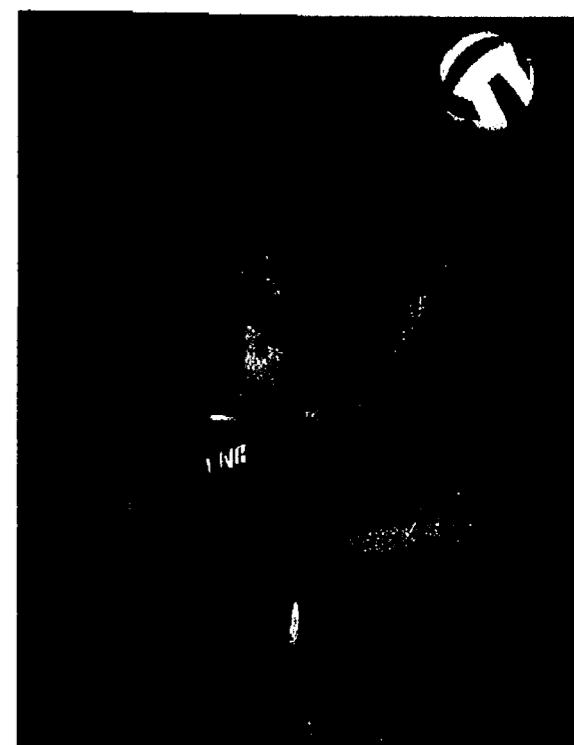
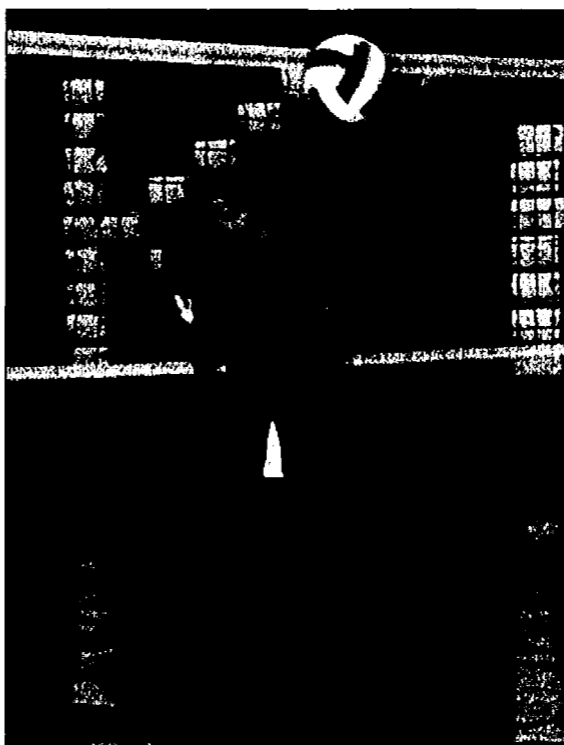
The Vikings will play at Charlevoix on Thursday, Oct. 18.



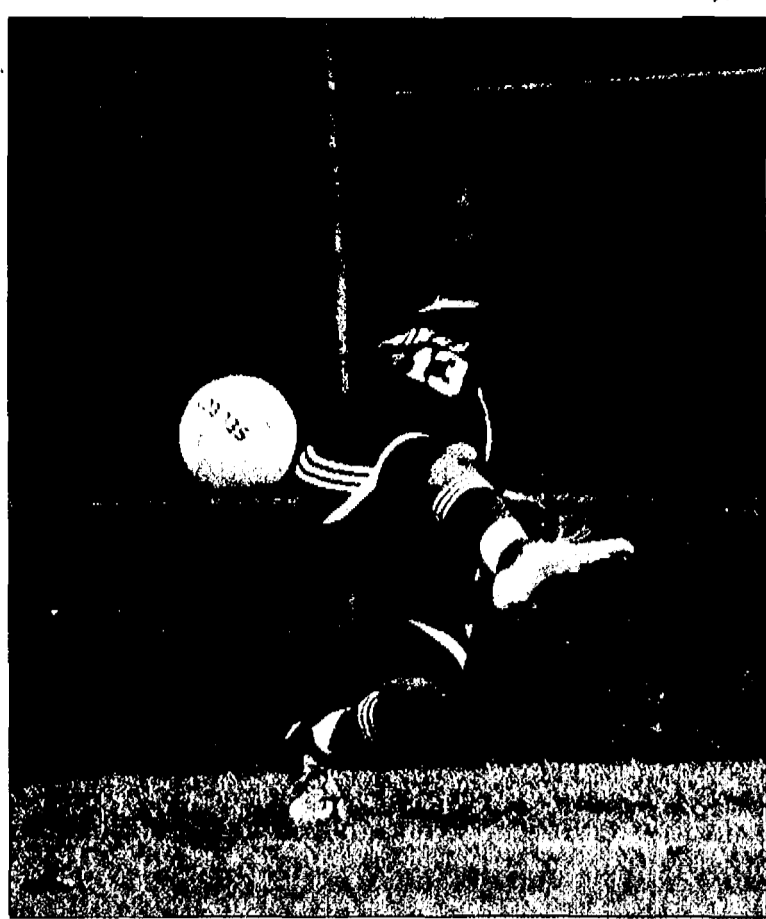
Caitlin Prosser, left, sets the ball for the Vikings at Kalkaska on Tuesday. Sam Denno, right, hits the ball over the net vs. the Blazers.



Rachel Money hits the ball for Grayling at Kalkaska on Tuesday.



Makayla Cragg, left, hits the ball over the net. Courtney Hatfield, right, serves for the Vikings.



Elijah Robbins, left, tries to keep the ball in bounds at Boyne City on Thursday night. Mike Gardiner, right, kicks the ball for the Vikings.

## Grayling wins playoff preview with three 2nd half goals

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Thursday's game was the second time Grayling faced Boyne City this season. The Vikings won the first match-up 1-0 on Sept. 17.

On Thursday, the two teams fought to a 2-2 during the first half. Boyne City got the first goal when a Grayling defender accidentally kicked the ball into his own net.

The Vikings tied the game at 1-1 with a penalty kick goal by Carson Burneister at the 20:02 mark.

With 4:16 remaining in the first half, Blake Gregory scored for Grayling on a cross from Romain Heris. Boyne City scored 1:22 later, tying it at 2-2.

Coach Nate Alyas said the team was "too tight" early in the game during a "back and forth" first half. The second half went better. It was a windy night, and the Vikings had the wind in their favor for the final 40 minutes of play.

"We picked up the momentum," Coach Alyas said. "We had a different formation for the second half. Between the passes, crosses, we picked up a lot

of (corner kicks); we capitalized on one of them."

The Vikings scored their first goal of the second half at the 15:57 mark. Burneister kicked the ball into the net on a corner kick by John Hilbrecht. Grayling scored twice in the final eight minutes of regulation. Heris scored at the 7:47 mark and Jacob Robbins scored at the 3:47 mark.

Grayling won by three, 5-2.

Coach Alyas said the team's passing and communication were strong in the second half.

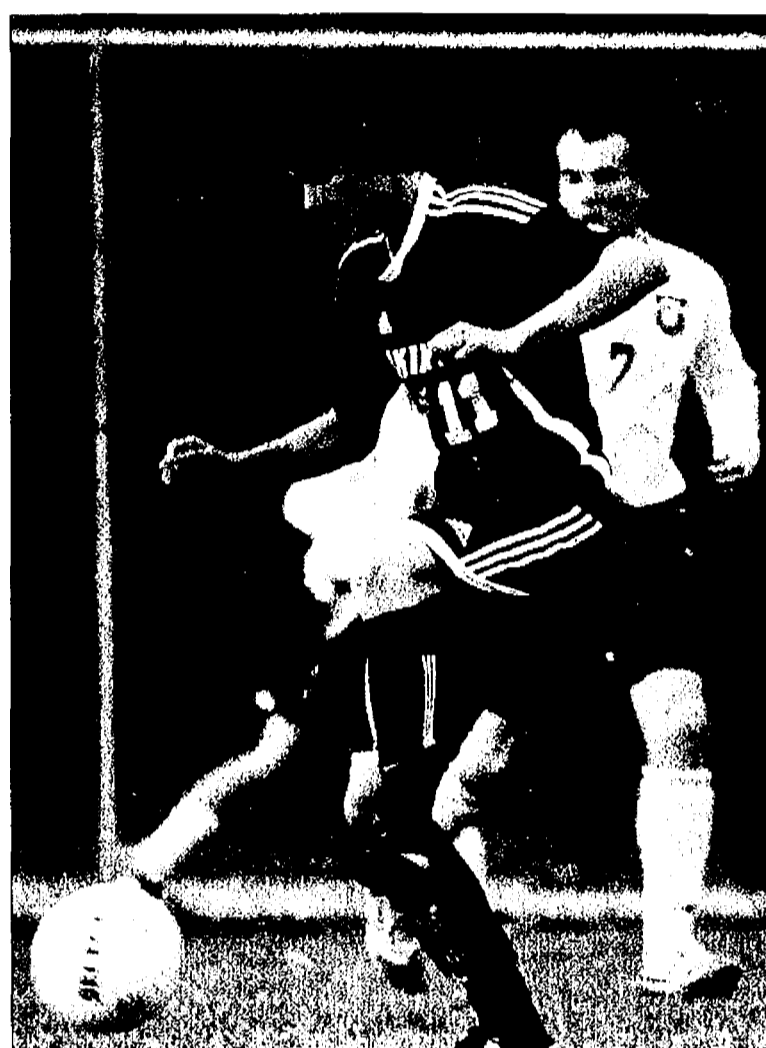
"We played awesome second half," Coach Alyas said.

On Monday, the Vikings won 7-3 in a league game at Charlevoix.

Tyler Powers scored three goals for Grayling vs. the Rayders. Heris scored two goals in the contest. Gregory and Hilbrecht each had one goal for GHS.

Grayling finished its 2012 regular season with an overall record of 13-4-1 and a league record of 8-2.

If the Vikings won their district game vs. Boyne City on Tuesday, they will play at Cheboygan or Elk Rapids



Tyler Powers controls the ball for the Vikings at Boyne City on Thursday.

on Thursday, Oct. 18, in the District 48-3 semifinals. The winner of that contest will host the district championship game on Saturday, Oct. 20.



John Hilbrecht dribbles the ball for Grayling during last week's league game at Boyne City.

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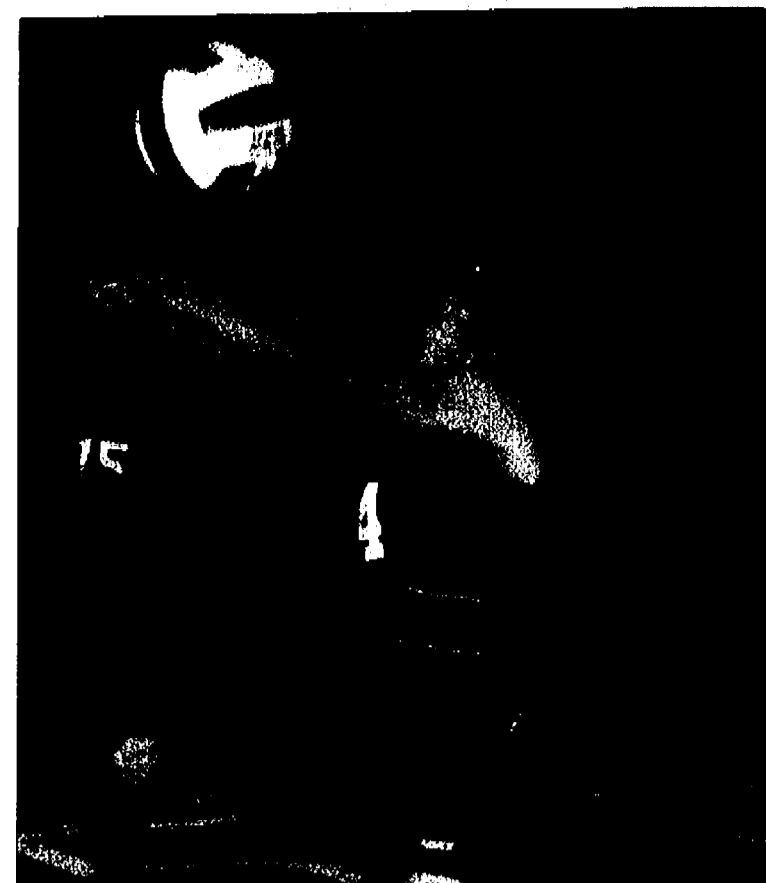
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Laura Simpson, left, and Sally Metiva, right, hit the ball for the JV Vikings during their series vs. Kalkaska on Tuesday.

## JV team falls to Blazers 2-1 at Kalkaska

Grayling High School's junior varsity volleyball squad lost 2-1 in a best of three series at Kalkaska High School on Tuesday night.

Grayling won the first game. The Vikings led 7-1 to start the match. The Blazers scored nine of the game's next 10 points to lead 10-8. Grayling scored the next four points to lead 12-10. The Vikings had a 21-16 advantage late in the match, but the Blazers fought back to tie the score at 21-21. Grayling

scored four of the last five points in the match to win 25-22.

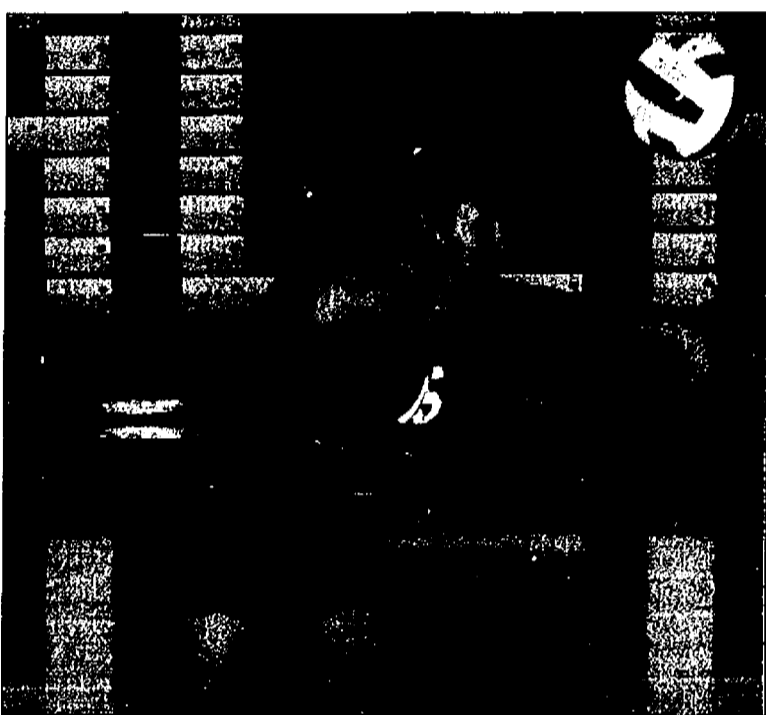
Game two was also close. The score was tied early at 6-6. The Blazers scored eight of the next nine points to lead by seven, 14-7. The Vikings battled back, tying the contest at 21-21. With the score tied at 23-23, Kalkaska scored the last two points to win 25-23.

Game three. The Vikings took a 5-1 lead early. Kalkaska scored five of the

next six points, tying the game at 6-6. The Blazers built a steady advantage, leading 14-9 in the middle of the contest and leading 20-15 late in the match. The Vikings were unable to mount a comeback and Kalkaska won 25-18, clinching the series victory.

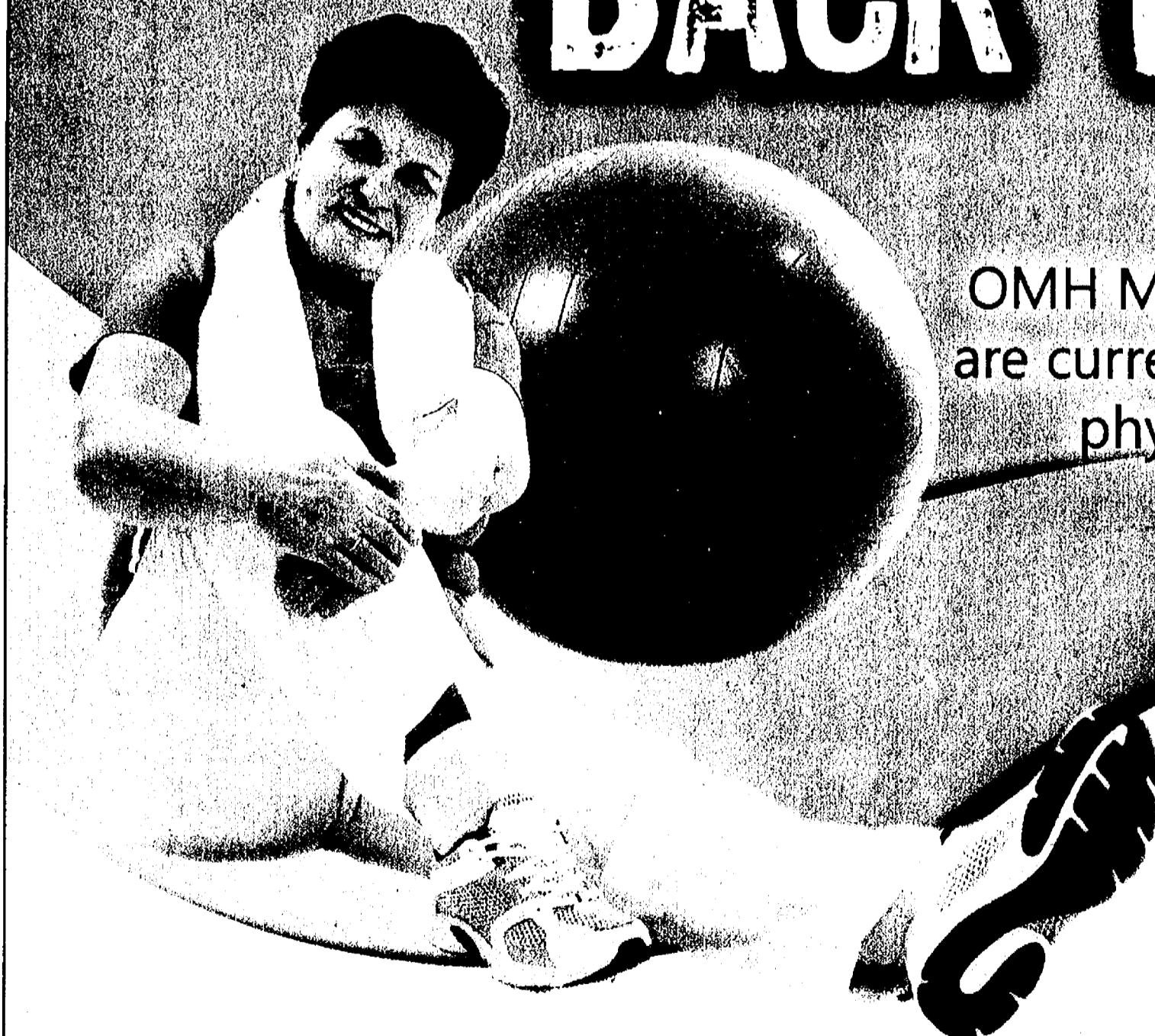
Sally Metiva had five aces for the Vikings in the series. Laura Simpson had four aces.

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Sydney Denno, left, and Sierra Schreiber, right, hit the ball for Grayling during last week's JV volleyball series at Kalkaska.

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# Vikings qualify for state finals for third consecutive year

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Individual scores for Grayling included: Whitney Schans, 93; Logan Miller, 100; Angie Rouston, 105; Natalie Woodley, 107; Elle Smith, 127.

"Our girls went into this regional tournament believing that they would come out on top and our goal was to finish the day as regional champions and not let the weather be a factor in the final outcome. The girls were extremely focused in practice this week and their preparations throughout the week made this championship possible," Coach Baker said. "They had the 'eye of the tiger' look for the past week. The girls were

pumping each other up all week."

"I cannot express enough how proud I am of these young ladies. Whitney's 93 was good enough to earn her the third lowest score at the tournament and a medal as one of the top five golfers of the day. Logan's our #4 golfer and her score of 100 earned her an 11th place finish overall and she had the lowest round of all #4 golfers today. She played an amazing round and after the first nine holes, she was on pace for a 94. Angie, Natalie, and Elle all played well also and these three were instrumental in our championship round," Coach Baker said.

"Throughout the round, I

was trying to keep the girls motivated and focused and I kept telling them that every single shot would count in the end and to not let a bad score on a hole get them down. They were able to maintain their composure throughout the day," Coach Baker said. "We will look to golf in the 380s or 390s on consecutive days at the finals and we're definitely hoping for better weather."

"Earning a trip to the state finals for a third straight season has been our number one goal all season long," Coach Baker said. "Our second goal was to bring a regional championship back to Grayling. We're not sure, but we believe that this may be the

girls golf team's first regional championship ever."

"With two of our season goals met, our third and final goal is to place in the top 10 at the state finals. We have finished in 12th place in each of the past two seasons and we hope to change that this time around. We plan to build on our experience from the past two seasons and the girls' course management will play a vital role in how we finish," Coach Baker said.

The Vikings will compete in the state finals at Michigan State University on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 19 and 20, at the Forest Akers West Course.

## Bowling Leagues

### Recreation League

Ball Busters ..... 18 - 6  
Robin Smith CPA... 17 - 7  
Spikes..... 14 - 10  
American Legion... 14 - 10  
Days Inn..... 13 - 11  
Grayling Nursing... 10 - 14  
Mercy Manor..... 9 - 15  
High Series: N. Glasslee, 547; K. Wheeler, 492; S. Johnson, 466. High Game: N. Glasslee, 202 & 179; K. Wheeler, 186; S. Johnson, 179.

### Senior League

Dana Transport..... 17 - 7  
Spike's..... 16 - 8  
Rysso & Wingfield... 15 - 9  
Flowers By Josie... 13 - 11  
Sylvester's Sports... 13 - 11  
Lone Pine..... 9 - 15  
Bear's Den Pizza... 8 - 16  
Legion Lanes..... 4 - 20  
High Series Women: N.

Glasslee, 493; M. Rysso, 455; C. Clark, 455. High Game Women: C. Clark, 188; N. Glasslee, 181; D. Mead, 162. High Series Men: B. Hollis, 580; D. Henning, 543; O. Brantley, 475. High Game Men: B. Hollis, 235; D. Henning, 225; O. Brantley, 182.

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Ladybugs - NOT... 15 - 9  
Bowling Buds..... 15 - 9  
Snow Tops..... 13 - 11  
Splitpins..... 6 - 18  
Eddie & Cruisers... 6 - 18  
High Series Women: C. Clark, 456; R. Brown and K. Moshier, 453. High Game Women: K. King, 185; R. Brown, 169; C. Clark, 168. High Series Men: B. Hollis, 579; P.

Faustman, 560; S. Johnson, 553. High Game Men: B. Hollis, 231; M. Brown, 212; P. Faustman, 205.

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Dodi's Karaoke... 21 - 21  
Legion..... 20 - 22  
Swamp II..... 13 - 29  
AJD..... 11 - 31  
High Series Women: M. Becker, 618; K. Moshier, 491; B. MacKinnon, 483. High Game Women: M. Becker, 236; K. Moshier, 177. High Series Men: J. Hunt, 700; J. Gerken, 646; G. Mastroeni, 637. High Game Men: J. Hunt, 238; D. Yelinek, 232; J. Gerken, 229.

### Pioneer League

Legion..... 13.5 - 6.5  
T.C. Lawncare..... 13 - 7  
Sub. Nuts & Bolts... 11 - 9  
Tim's Collision... 10.5 - 9.5  
Pink Ladies..... 4 - 16  
High Series: L. Golnick, 533; B. MacKinnon, 463; J. Coors, 462. High Game: L. Golnick, 192; P. Kennedy, 179; M. Kroell, 176.  
**American Men's League**  
Legion Lanes..... 16 - 12  
Thayer's..... 15 - 13  
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Man Cave..... 14 - 14  
Joels Team..... 13 - 15  
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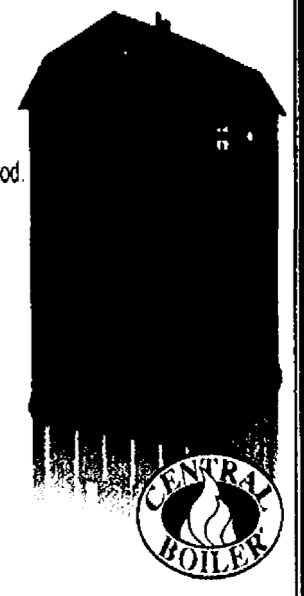
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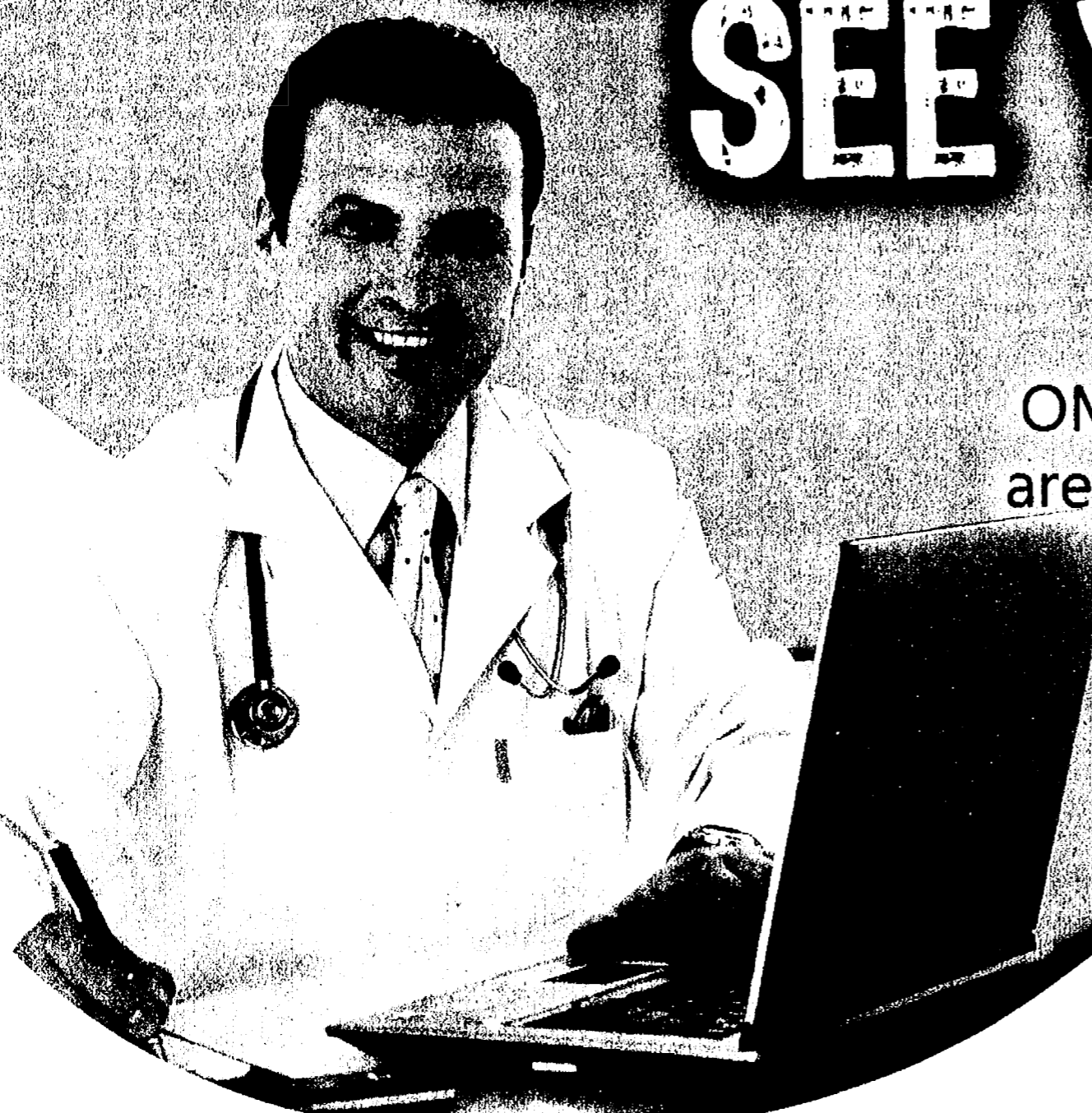


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Dated: October 18, 2012  
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Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer  
31440 Northwestern Highway,  
Suite 200  
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525  
File #411642F01  
(10-18)(11-08)

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**MORTGAGE SALE**  
THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE

USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.  
Notice is hereby given that Default has occurred in a Mortgage given by Michael A. Rexford and Julie A. Rexford, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Signature Mortgage, LLC, as assigned to Signature Bank, mortgagee. The Mortgage is dated February 2, 2007, and was recorded on February 5, 2007, in Liber 685 on page 180 of the Crawford County records, and subject to an Assignment of Mortgage recorded at Liber 710, Page 53. The balance owing on the Mortgage as of the date of this Notice is \$60,140.33, including interest at 6.25% per year. The Mortgage contains a power of sale clause and no proceedings have been instituted to recover any part of the debt owing.

The Mortgage will be foreclosed by selling the property described below at a public auction to the highest bidder. The sale will be held on November 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m. local time at the main entrance to the Crawford County Court Facility, 200 W. Michigan Ave., Grayling, Michigan, that being the place of holding Circuit Court for Crawford County, Michigan. The property will be sold to pay the amount then due on the Mortgage, including interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes or insurance which may be paid by the mortgagee before the sale.

The property to be sold is located in the Township of Frederic, County of Crawford, Michigan and is described as:

Lot 120, Uppnorthe Unit No. 2, Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Pages 61 through 65, Crawford County Records.

commonly known as 6487 Maple Forest Dr., Frederic, MI 49733  
tax i.d. 032-102-000-120-00

If the property described in this notice is sold at a foreclosure sale, then under MCL 600.3278, the Mortgagor(s) will be held responsible to the buyer of the property at the foreclosure sale, or to the Mortgage holder, for damage done to the property during the redemption period.

The redemption period will expire six (6) months after the date of the foreclosure sale, unless the property is determined abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period will expire 30 days after the date of the foreclosure sale, or when the time to provide notice under MCL 600.3241a(c) expires, whichever is later.

SMITH, MARTIN, POWERS & KNIER, P.C.

Dated: October 11, 2012  
By: Henry L. Knier, Jr. (P46393)  
Attorney for Signature Bank,  
Mortgagee  
900 Washington Ave.,  
P.O. Box 219  
Bay City, MI 48707  
(989) 892-4574

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**Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale**  
THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Harvey James LaDouceur, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to IndyMac Bank, F.S.B., Mortgagee, dated March 29, 2007, and recorded on April 3, 2007 in Liber 685 on Page 971, and assigned by said Mortgagee to OneWest Bank, FSB as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Nine Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Six and 87/100 Dollars (\$109,156.87).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, at 10:00 AM, on November 14, 2012.

Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The West 491 feet of Out Lot "A", Red Dog Subdivision, Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 02 of Plats, Page, Pages 05 and 06, Crawford County Records. (Also

known as Parcel A-1 as shown on Certificate of Survey recorded in Liber 142, Page 04, Crawford County Records).

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: October 11, 2012  
For more information, please call: FCH (248) 593-1300  
Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Servicer  
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Suite 200  
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525  
File #413453F01  
(10-11)(11-01)

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**NOTICE**  
AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NOTIFY US AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by George F. Wolf Lillian A. Wolf, HUSBAND AND WIFE, Mortgagors, to Long Beach Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated the 4th day of October, 2006 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for The County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 13th day of October, 2006 in Liber 683 of Crawford County Records, page 652, said Mortgage having been assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-10 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of Eighty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Three and 29/100 (\$87,203.29), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of October, 2012 at 10:00 AM o'clock Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door to the County Bldg. in Grayling MI (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 6.315% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise, located thereon, situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The Southwesterly 45 feet of Lots 11 and 12, Block 8, Hadley's Second Addition to the Village (now City) of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the recorded Plat thereof, recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page(s) 10, Crawford County Records. During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale. Pursuant to MCLA 600.3278, the mortgagor(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. Dated: 9/27/2012 Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-10 Mortgagee

FABRIZIO & BROOK, P.C.  
Attorney for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-10 888 W. Big Beaver, Suite 800 Troy, MI 48064 248-362-2600 Chase shls wolfforge (09-27)(10-18)

-27-4-11-18

**NOTICE**  
THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a Mortgage made by HAROLD MILLS AND KATHERINE L. MILLS, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF AMERICA, Mortgagee, dated October 5, 2006, and recorded November 2, 2006, in Liber 684,

Page 10, of Crawford County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this notice \$49,453.33, including interest at 11.0% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public auction to the highest bidder, on Wednesday, November 14, 2012, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the place of holding the circuit court within Crawford County, Michigan. Said premises are situated in the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: West 165 feet of the East 330 feet of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 2, T27N, R4W; c/k/a 7086 Batterson, Frederic, MI 49733 The redemption period shall be six months from the date of the sale, unless the premises are determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days. Please be advised that if the mortgaged property is sold at a foreclosure sale by advertisement, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 you will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale, or to the mortgage holder, for damaging the property during the redemption period. Dated: October 11, 2012 LeVasseur Dyer & Associates, PC Attorneys for Mortgage Assignee P.O. Box 721400 Berkley, MI 48072 (248) 586-1200 (10-11)(11-01)

-11-18-25-1

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE**  
THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW. Notice under MCL 600.3278: Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale under MCL 600.3201 et. seq., the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. ATTENTION POTENTIAL PURCHASERS AT FORECLOSURE SALE: In the case of resolution prior to or simultaneously with the aforementioned foreclosure sale, U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Manufactured Housing Contract Senior / Subordinate Pass-Through Certificate Trust 2000-5, by Green Tree Servicing LLC, as Servicer with delegated authority under the transaction documents may rescind this sale at any time prior to the end of the redemption period. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited to the return of your bid amount tendered at the sale, plus interest. Default having occurred in the conditions of a Mortgage made by Beth M. DeLoof, a single woman, and Gregory T. Schneider, a single man, ("Mortgagor") to Green Tree Servicing LLC (f/k/a Conesco Finance Servicing Corp.), dated July 3, 2000, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford in the State of Michigan on August 14, 2000, in Liber 514, Page(s) 555, et. seq., said Mortgage being last assigned to U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Manufactured Housing Contract Senior / Subordinate Pass-Through Certificate Trust 2000-5 ("Green Tree"), by Mortgage Assignment dated August 13, 2012, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford in the State of Michigan on September 4, 2012, in Liber 710, Page(s) 408, et. seq., on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this Notice the sum of \$75,892.15, which amount may or may not be the entire indebtedness owed by Debtors to Green Tree together with interest at 8.00 percent per annum. NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative and that pursuant to that power of sale and MCL 600.3201 et. seq., on October 31, 2012 at 10:00 a.m., in the Lobby of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court and/or for conducting such foreclosure sales for the County of Crawford, there will be offered at public sale, the premises, or some part thereof, described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: LAND SITUATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, STATE OF MICHIGAN, IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: LOTS 13 THROUGH 15 AND 30 THROUGH 36, BLOCK 20, FIFTH ADDITION TO PORTAGE LAKE PARK, TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING, CRAWFORD COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN LIBER 01 OF PLATS, PAGE 24, CRAWFORD COUNTY RECORDS, which also includes any interest Green Tree may have in the 1999 Dutch Mobile Home, Serial Number 25324E. The redemption period shall be six (6) months unless the property is established to be abandoned pursuant to

MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be the later of thirty (30) days from the date of sale or fifteen (15) days from the date the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(b) was posted and mailed, or unless under MCL 600.3240(17), prior to the foreclosure sale the borrower follows the procedure set forth in that section to establish the presumption that the property is used for Agricultural purposes, in which case the redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of the sale. Dated: September 20, 2012 U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Manufactured Housing Contract Senior / Subordinate Pass-Through Certificate Trust 2000-5, by Green Tree Servicing LLC, as Servicer with delegated authority under the transaction documents By: DONALD A. BRANDT (P30183) BRANDT, FISHER, ALWARD & PEZZETTI, P.C. Attorneys for Green Tree 1241 E. Eighth Street, P.O. Box 5817 Traverse City, Michigan 49696-5817 (231) 941-9660 File No.: 6140.0291 Ad #37731 09/27, 10/04, 10/11, 10/18/2012

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**FORECLOSURE NOTICE**  
RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. MAY BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE A MILITARY SERVICEMEMBER ON ACTIVE DUTY NOW OR IN THE PRIOR NINE MONTHS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Michael J. Henson, unmarried and Frela J. Hardacre, unmarried to Fifth Third Bank (Northern Michigan), Mortgagee, dated May 15, 2002, and recorded May 17, 2002, in Liber 584, Page 543, Crawford County Records, said mortgage was assigned to The Bank of New York Mellon, as Indenture Trustee for the registered holders of ABFS Mortgage Loan Trust 2002-2, Mortgage-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-2 by an Assignment of Mortgage dated January 15, 2009 and recorded January 26, 2009 in Liber 694, Page 439, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-Three Thousand Seventy-Four and 24/100 (\$83,074.24) including interest at the rate of 7.26000% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Crawford County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on November 14, 2012 Said premises are situated in the Township of Maple Forest, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: And known as being a part of Section 7, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan described as: Commencing at the North quarter corner of said Section 7; thence South 1 degree 11 minutes 30 seconds East along the North-South quarter line, 1308.8 feet for a point of beginning; thence North 89 degree 47 minutes 00 seconds East, 653.6 feet; thence South 1 degree 25 minutes 00 seconds East, 654.1 feet; thence North 89 degree 40 minutes 15 seconds West, 668.2 feet; thence North 1 degree 11 minutes 30 seconds West, 655.4 feet; thence North 89 degree 47 minutes 00 seconds East, 12.0 feet to the point of beginning. Be the same more or less, but subject to all legal highways Commonly known as: 5412 Ken Pen Road If the property is eventually sold at foreclosure sale, the redemption period will be 6.00 months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned or used for agricultural purposes. If the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for agricultural purposes prior to the date of the foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is 1 year. Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: October 11, 2012 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for The Bank of New York Mellon, as Indenture Trustee for the registered holders of ABFS Mortgage Loan Trust 2002-2, Mortgage-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-2 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302, 248-335-9200 Case No. 120M100986-1 (10-11)(11-01)

-11-18-25-1

**STATE OF MICHIGAN JUDICIAL DISTRICT 46TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY PROBATE PUBLICATION OF ORDER FOR ALTERNATIVE SERVICE**

CASE NO. 12-98823-CH  
Court address  
200 W. MICHIGAN AVE.,  
GRAYLING, MI 49738  
Court telephone no.  
(989)344-3206

Plaintiff  
MIDFIRST BANK, a Federally Chartered Savings Association

Plaintiff's attorney  
TROTTS & TROTTS, P.C.  
By: Caren A. Ries (P73241)  
31440 Northwestern Hwy.,  
Ste. 200  
Farmington Hills, MI 48334  
(248) 723-6471  
T & T#362487L03

Defendant  
DANA SUTTON, et. al.

**THE COURT FINDS**  
1. Service of process upon defendant Any and all Unknown Claimants, Owners, Heirs, Devises, or Assignees of Unknown Claimant cannot reasonably be made as provided in MCR 2.105, and service of process may be made in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give defendant actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard.  
IT IS ORDERED:  
2. Service of the summons and complaint and a copy of this order be made by the following method(s):  
a. First class mail to 211 CRESTWOOD DR., GRAYLING, MI 49738-8786  
b. Tacking or firmly affixing to the door at 211 CRESTWOOD DR., GRAYLING, MI 49738-8786  
d. Other: Via publication pursuant to MCR 2.201(D), per 2.106(D).  
3. For each method used, proof of service must be filed promptly with the court.

Date 9/20/12  
Judge  
JANET M. ALLEN P30817  
-4-11-18

**SYNOPSIS SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP**  
October 9, 2012  
Regular Board Meeting  
Unapproved

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.  
Attending: L. Luck, George, Musselman and S. Luck. Absent: Janisse. Pledge of Allegiance.

**Motion by S. Luck, and seconded by George, to accept agenda as presented. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by Musselman, and seconded by S. Luck, to accept consent agenda, September Regular and Closed Session Meeting Minutes, and September 25, 2012 Special Meeting Minutes, bills and invoices paid, the Treasurer's Report, Fire/EMS Report, and projected bills for October as presented. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by S. Luck, and seconded by George to approve payment of the invoice from Crawford County in the amount of \$2,156.00, for the Township's portion for recycling for the 2011/2012 budget year. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by S. Luck, and seconded by Musselman to approve payment of the invoice from James M. Anderson, P.C. in the amount of \$4,250.00 for the 2010/2011 budget year audit. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by Musselman, and seconded by S. Luck to accept the bid from S & J Excavating for snowplow services for the Township Hall, Fire Hall, Smith Bridge, and the refuse sites for the 2012 and 2013 seasons. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by S. Luck, and seconded by Musselman to accept the bid from Fick & Sons for the 2012/2013 season at a cost of \$1,699 per gallon on a pre-buy of 6,000 gallons, contingent on the credit on our account being applied to this years pre-buy. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion passed.**

**Motion by S. Luck, and seconded by Musselman to accept the estimate from S & J Excavating for the Rock Cemetery Service Road project in the amount of \$1,000.00.**

No public comment. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

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# Features

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## A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE



**October 19, 1989 - Nikki Morrill, shown hitting an outside jumper, scored 14 points to help Grayling beat Roscommon in overtime.**

### 23 Years Ago

**October 19, 1989**

It's that time of year again, when the deer population begins to increase its movement and unfortunately for some motorists, some of this movement includes crossing the county's roadways. In just one week, Oct. 2 to Oct. 8, 13 car-deer accidents occurred in Crawford County.

Seven Grayling High School band members attended music camps this summer to train under professional musicians and improve their musical talents. Adam Anger, Anna Hagemester, Yolanda Rosi and Jordan Stancil were four that attended Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp. Chad Ormsbee

attended Fred Miller Camp, Gretchen Dice and Rachel Paulsen attended a double reed camp at Hope College.

A fall fashion show fundraiser earned over \$900 for Crawford County United Way. More than 150 persons viewed the latest fashions at Chief Shoppenagon Hotel.

The Grayling football team was tied with the Sault Ste. Marie, when late in the fourth quarter, on a fourth and one situation, Viking defensive end, Todd Thorsen stopped the Soo about a foot shy of a first down, giving Grayling the ball on the 20 yard line. Grayling then drove 80 yards down the field for the final touchdown of the game, making the final

score 20 - 14.

### 46 Years Ago

**October 20, 1966**

Marilyn Joseph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph and Bruce Feldhauser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Feldhauser, were crowned the 1966 Homecoming Queen and King on Friday night. In the float contest, first prize went to the junior class with their representation of Charlie Brown and "Happiness Is" the seniors took second place and the 7th grade took third.

Pete Olson left Sunday for a week of advanced salon styling, studying under Sir Robert and Mario Tricoci of the Pivot Point International School in Chicago. When he returns he will take over his duties as new owner of Polly Ann Beauty Shop in Grayling.

George Blaha has a position in the savings department of the St. Joseph Bank in South Bend, Indiana for the fall. He plans to do post graduate work at the University of Michigan in January.

Esbern and Lillian Hanson have sold the property located on the east side of Lake Margrethe to Al and Kathleen Cherven and Bill and Gloria Kraus, in partnership. The area comprises 173 acres and covers about a half mile of lake frontage. It has been in the ownership of the Hansons since 1904.

The Grayling Viking gridders, after losing a high scoring homecoming contest to the Gaylord Blue Devils last Friday at the local gridiron 331 to 25, are working this week to regroup their forces to meet the always strong and dangerous Charlevoix Rayders at Charlevoix.

### 69 Years Ago

**October 21, 1943**

On a field covered with snow and with flakes falling continuously throughout the game, Grayling High School remained undefeated in downing an improved Mancelona team 20 - 0. Considering the condition of the field, which was marked by twine on the sidelines and goal lines only. Grayling played one of their best games in conquering a stubborn Mancelona team.

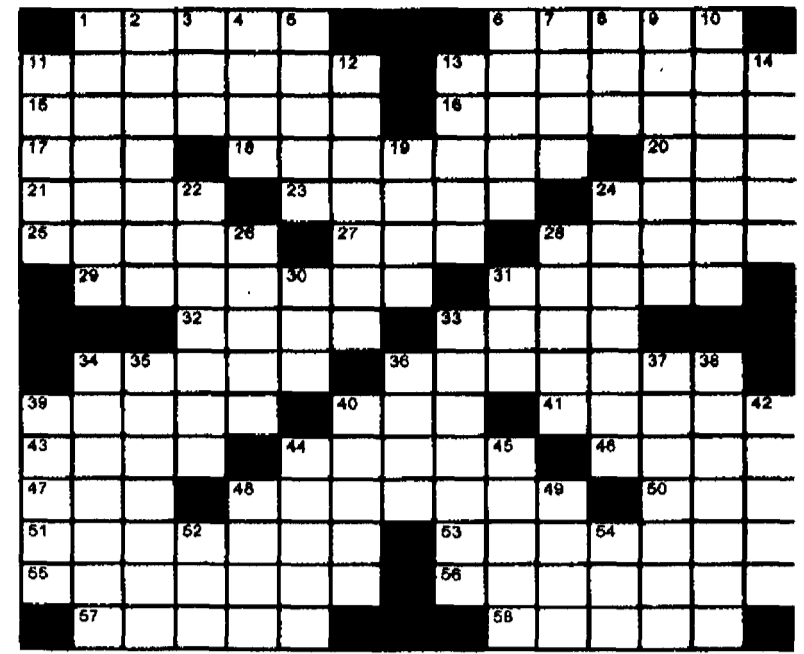
The Angus Macauley family have moved from the south side to the Mrs. George Clise home on Maple Street.

### 92 Years Ago

**October 21, 1920**

The Frank Ahman home on Peninsular Avenue has been purchased by Mrs. Nick Schjotz. The Ahman family is moving to Saginaw where Mr. Schjotz has been employed since spring.

## CROSSWORD



### Across

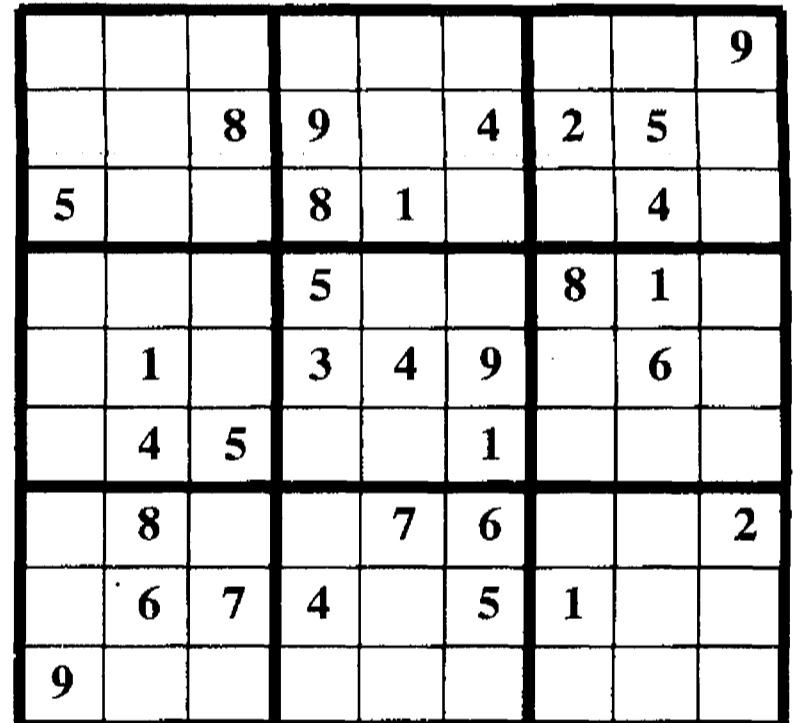
1. Hits hard
6. Discompose
11. Provokes
13. Weak
15. Timid, childish man
16. "So soon?"
17. "\_\_\_ alive!" (contraction)
18. College fee
20. "Fantasy Island" prop
21. Locale
23. Apprehensive
24. Hacienda hand, maybe
25. Fishhook line
27. Ballad
28. Shoulder gesture
29. Mourner
31. Category
32. Contemptible one
33. Grimace
34. Letters
36. Betting information seller
39. "Silly" birds
40. Greyhound, e.g.
41. Hang
43. Absorbed
44. Ringlets
46. Back of the neck
47. "To \_\_\_ is human ..."
48. Layered ice cream dessert
50. Blazer, e.g. (acronym)
51. Run away lovers
53. Not worth using
55. Differing from accepted standards
56. Thaw
57. E-mail option
58. Detroit's county

### Down

1. Literary composition
2. Handgun sheath
3. Arctic bird
4. "Check this out!"
5. 1988 Olympics site
6. Fusion
7. Building near a silo
8. Trick taker, often
9. Those who climb up and over
10. Repulsive
11. Awry
12. Out of proper order
13. Tinker Bell, e.g.
14. Eager
19. Get misty-eyed
22. Snob
24. Four-wheeled horse-drawn carriage
26. Freetown currency unit
28. Kind of fund
30. Big wine holder
31. Bluecoat
33. Lost
34. Mollusk diver
35. Scold
36. Gang land
37. Dodging
38. Drive back
39. Excessive desire for wealth
40. Explode
42. Retain with stone
44. Traveling amusement show
45. Strength
48. Clap
49. Soft porous rock deposited from springs
52. Lulu
54. "Don't give up!"

## SUDOKU

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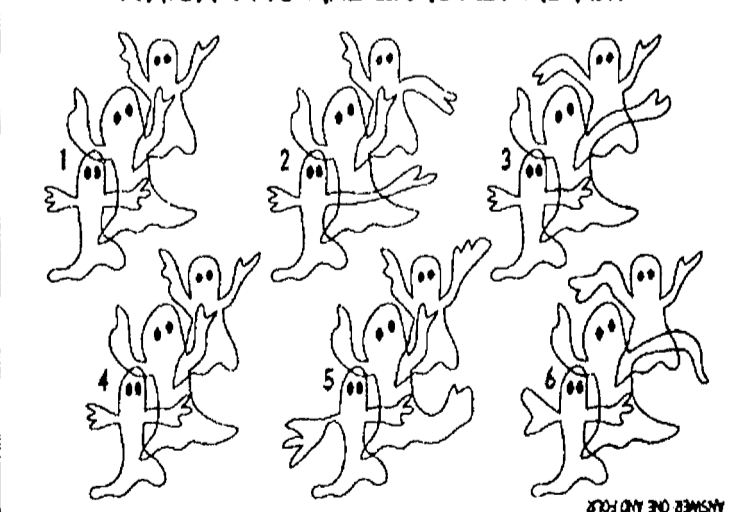


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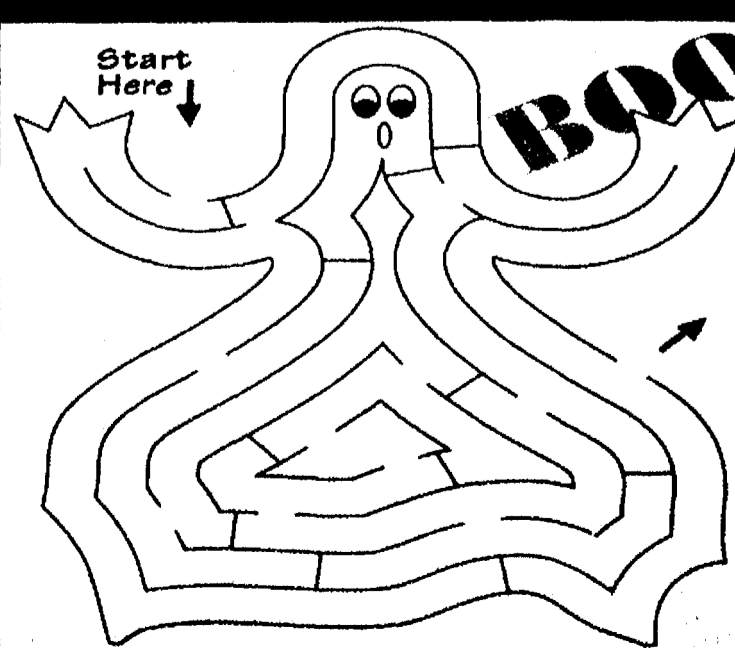


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## MAZE



# HOROSCOPES

Week of October 14, 2012

<p><b>Capricorn</b> December 22-January 19</p> <p>You could be due for an image upgrade or even a complete makeover! You'll be pleasantly surprised with the results. Get all the facts before getting involved in a family feud.</p>	<p><b>Aries</b> March 21-April 19</p> <p>What has been happening behind the scenes moves center stage and you're in the middle of things. Someone you thought was a friend may work against you, while a supposed enemy turns out to be an ally.</p>	<p><b>Cancer</b> June 22-July 22</p> <p>Spend time with friends and loved ones, and catch up on all those nagging little projects around the house. A renovation plan or even a move may be in the works.</p>	<p><b>Libra</b> September 23-October 22</p> <p>Someone close to you needs a helping hand, and you're in the perfect position to help out. Social activities take center stage and you need to be ready for a party or outing.</p>
<p><b>Aquarius</b> January 20-February 18</p> <p>You have limited time and energy, so focus on those things that absolutely have to be accomplished. Keep an eye on income and expenses but don't hesitate to dream.</p>	<p><b>Taurus</b> April 20-May 20</p> <p>Know your personal limits and don't bite off more than you can chew. Study situations and problems to find the best solutions. Health and diet issues require attention.</p>	<p><b>Leo</b> July 23-August 22</p> <p>Now is not the best time to try something new or take off in a new direction. Stick with what you know has worked. Expect positive results from a long-distance communication.</p>	<p><b>Scorpio</b> October 23-November 21</p> <p>You need to make sure others understand your point of view. Be direct but diplomatic in trying to get people on board for a special project or task. A small purchase pays big dividends.</p>
<p><b>Pisces</b> February 19-March 20</p> <p>New information is revealed that sheds light on a difficult situation. You gain needed insight and know what to do and when to do it. Remember exercise plans!</p>	<p><b>Gemini</b> May 21-June 21</p> <p>An unexpected source provides reinforcement and support. People in authority are impressed with your performance. Take care of a repair project before it gets bigger.</p>	<p><b>Virgo</b> August 23-September 22</p> <p>Helping others through a difficult time gives you a better understanding of how to deal with your own problems. Refuse to get drawn into a dispute or confrontation.</p>	<p><b>Sagittarius</b> November 22-December 21</p> <p>A nagging problem gets resolved in your favor and people are attracted to you and your ideas. You feel better knowing an old friend is again in your corner.</p>

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**WEATHER**  
Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Last Week		Extended Forecast	
Date	High/Low	High/Low	Weather
10/08	64/32	0	
10/09	60/37	0.21	
10/10	44/27	0.11	
10/11	47/26	0.19	
10/12	47/26	0.02	
10/13	64/37	1.06	
10/14	65/42	1.23	

Thursday: High 55, Low 39, Showers  
Friday: High 51, Low 40, Showers  
Saturday: High 49, Low 36, Few Showers  
Sunday: High 56, Low 37, Partly Cloudy  
Monday: High 58, Low 37, Mostly Sunny  
Tuesday: High 58, Low 38, Mostly Cloudy

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**

**TIPSY APPLE PECAN PIE**

**Ingredients:**

- 1/2 cup seedless raisins
- 2 Tbsp. bourbon
- 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) margarine or butter, softened
- 1 cup Pecan Halves
- 1/2 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
- Pastry for 2-crust 9-inch pie
- 7 cups peeled sliced apples
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- 1 Tbsp. lemon juice
- 1 Tbsp. flour
- 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1 cup thawed Whipped Topping

**Directions:**

**PREHEAT** oven to 450°F. Mix raisins and bourbon; set aside. Spread all of the margarine onto bottom and top side of 9-inch pie plate. Press pecans, top sides down, in margarine; pat brown sugar evenly over pecans. Divide pastry in half; roll out one half to 10-inch circle on lightly floured surface. Place over brown sugar in pie plate.

**DRAIN** raisins; discard liquid. Toss raisins with apples, granulated sugar, lemon juice, flour, cinnamon and salt. Spoon over pie crust in pie plate. Roll out remaining pastry to 10-inch circle. Place over apple mixture; crimp edges of pastry together to seal. Prick top crust with fork to allow steam to vent.

**BAKE** 10 minutes. Reduce heat to 350°F. Bake an additional 45 minutes or until top crust is lightly browned. Cool on wire rack 5 minutes or until filling stops bubbling. Place serving plate over pie; carefully invert pie onto plate. Remove pie plate. Cool completely. Serve topped with whipped topping.

Prep Time: 30 min  
Total Time: 1 hr 15 min  
Makes: 8 servings

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\$6.70	\$6.80	\$6.90	\$7.00	\$7.10	\$7.20	\$7.30
\$7.40	\$7.50	\$7.60	\$7.70	\$7.80	\$7.90	\$8.00
\$8.10	\$8.20	\$8.30	\$8.40	\$8.50	\$8.60	\$8.70
\$8.80	\$8.90	\$9.00	\$9.10	\$9.20	\$9.30	\$9.40
\$9.50	\$9.60	\$9.70	\$9.80	\$9.90	\$10.00	\$10.10

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#### 4. Services Offered

**GUN SHOW** - Sat. Oct. 20, Grayling Ramada Inn, 9 to 4. Admission \$5. Buy, sell, trade. For more info, 989-280-2469. (-20-27-4-11-18/8)

**JERRY'S FIREWOOD** cut 16" split, delivered oak \$70 cord. Yard work - leaf, tree, brush removal \$30 hour - two man crew. 989-348-7046. (-11-18-25/4)

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**ATTENTION ALL BEAVER CREEK** Township and Grayling Charter Township Precinct 302 Voters: Elect Cheryl Ruley as your Crawford County Commissioner District 2 this November 6th. Paid for by the Committee to Elect Cheryl Ruley, 2550 W. M72 Hwy., Grayling, MI 49738. (-18/6)

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#### 8. Announcements

**ANNUAL HARVEST DINNER** Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church - Thursday, Oct. 25, 5 - 6:30 p.m. Buffet style turkey dinner. Adults \$9, children 6 - 12 \$4 and under 6 eat free. Take outs available only between 4 and 5 p.m. (-18-25/8)

**FALL GYMNASTICS CLASSES** will begin October 22 at the CRAF center in Roscommon. Classes will be offered for students ages 3 and up on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings for 8 weeks. For more information or to Register on-line go to [roscommongymnastics.com](http://roscommongymnastics.com). (-18/8)

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### 10. Garage Sale

**MOVING SALE GOODALES STORAGE** Unit between Units D & E. Sunday from 11 to 3. Lots of quality items. (-18/10)

**RAIN OR SHINE** Thurs., Fri. and Saturday. Camping items, chain saw, tree stand, tools, antiques, knick knacks, computer, clothing - men's, women's and children. 9 to 5, 5059 W. 7 Mile Rd., down from Beaver Creek Fire Dept. (-18/10)

**LAST CHANCE GARAGE SALE** Oct. 20, 21, 22 at 607 Galen St., 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Carpet, like new clothes, girls clothes and toys, vintage glassware, blankets, luggage, lots of misc. (-18/10)

**THE COMMISSION ON AGING & Senior Center** will be holding a Rummage Sale on Friday, October 26 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at 308 Lawndale Street, Grayling. This event is open to the public. Available for purchase will be 2 office desks, 3 computer stands, 1 computer desk, keyboards with mice, Lazy Boy recliner, collector dolls, juicer and misc. items. (-18-25/10)

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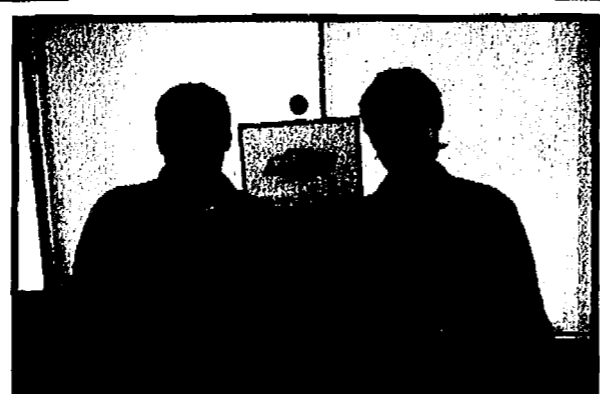
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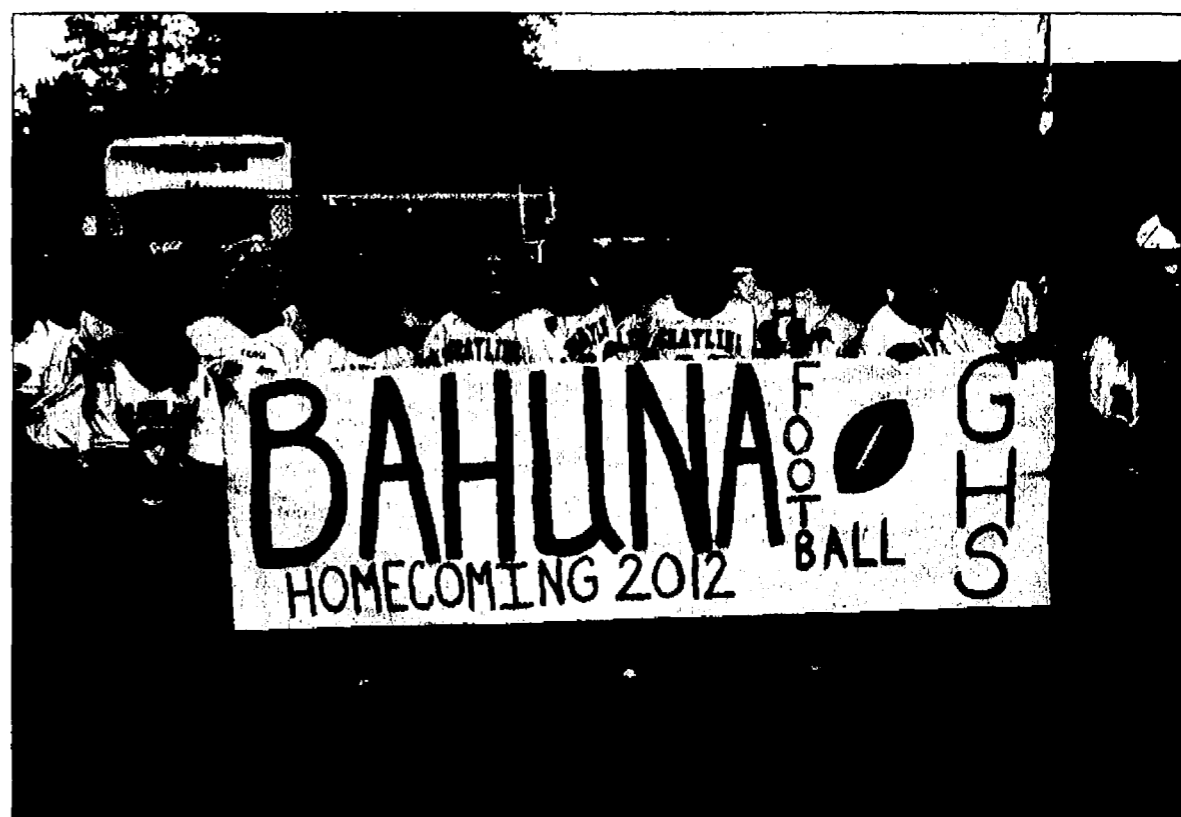
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The GHS cheerleaders gather with their banner before the start of Friday's homecoming game.

# VIKINGS WIN HOME COMING GAME 63-29, MOVE TO 8-0

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on a one-yard TD run by Jensen. The series also included a 12-yard run by Tobin, a 30-yard run by Jensen, and a 13-yard catch by McClanahan. The Vikings had a 35-8 advantage.

Grayling tried another outside kick and the Vikings recovered it. They drove 48 yards on four plays. Schultz caught a pass for four yards. Jensen ran for 28 yards on 3rd and 6. Grayling finished the series with a 16-yard TD pass from Swander to Parkinson. With 4:11 left in the first half, Grayling led 42-8.

East Jordan went for it on 4th and 5 and came up short. Grayling fumbled on 3rd and 10 and the Red Devils recovered the ball. Halftime. Grayling led 42-8.

On the first possession of the second half, Grayling fumbled on 2nd and 5 and East Jordan recovered it 23 yards from the goal line. The Red Devils finished the series with a 15-yard TD run on 3rd and 2. GHS led 42-15.

On 3rd and 20, East Jordan intercepted a Grayling pass attempt. On 1st and 10, the Red Devils fumbled and Jeff Myers recovered the ball for the Vikings. Grayling turned the ball over on downs with an incomplete pass on 4th and 6. East Jordan punted on 4th and 11.



Ty Jensen carries the ball for the Vikings during Friday's game vs. East Jordan.

Grayling started at its 22-yard line. On the first play of the drive, Swander threw to Schultz for 75 yards. On the next play, Swander threw to McClanahan for a TD. With the extra point, GHS led 49-15.

Tobin recovered the ball for GHS on a squib kick, giving the Vikings the ball 20 yards from the end zone.

Jakob Hoover took over at QB for GHS. On 3rd and 10, Hoover rushed for six yards. On 4th and 4, Hoover ran for a 14-yard touchdown. Grayling led 56-14.

East Jordan fumbled on the kickoff return and Harris recovered the ball for GHS. Grayling fumbled on 4th and 6 and East Jordan recovered it.

The Red Devils drove 52 yards on six plays, scoring on an 11-yard run. Grayling led 56-22 with 8:59 left in the game.

The Vikings fumbled on 1st and 10; East Jordan recovered it 33 yards from the end zone. The Red Devils scored on a 33-yard TD run on 2nd and 10. GHS led 56-29.

Harris returned East Jordan's kickoff to the 33-yard line of the Red Devils. Hoover rushed for nine yards on first down. On 4th and 1, Hoover ran for 16 yards. Three plays later, on 4th and goal, Hoover threw to Ki-Wan Kim, who caught the ball in the end zone for a 10-yard TD.

East Jordan did not score on its final possession. Grayling won 63-29.

According to the team, final numbers for the Vikings included: Swander, 364 passing yards, six TDs; Jensen, 106 rushing yards, one rushing TD, four receptions for 48 yards, two receiving TDs; Hoover, 10 passing yards, one passing TD, 45 rushing yards, one rushing TD; McClanahan, six catches, 122 yards, one TD; Parkinson, eight receptions, 94 yards, three TDs; Schultz, three catches, 89 yards; David Somero, eight tackles; Wes Dean, eight tackles; Handrich, one sack, one fumble recovery.

## Pool League

### Women's Standings

Swamp 2	27
Frederic Inn	30
Legion	23
Gray Rock	20
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